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"This place might content a right curious judgement;
but there are many sands at the entrance of the Harbour"

Captain John Smith 1614

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TOWN OF IPSWICH MASSACHUSETTS 1970 ANNUAL REPORT

In 1614 Captain John Smith, no longer attached to the Virginia Company and the Jamestown colony, surveyed the coastline from the Penobscot River to Cape Cod, and christened the region "New England." Two years later, in his book *A Description of New England*, he gave Ipswich, then called by its Indian name of Agawam, its first portrait in the English language. The old seafarer correctly perceived that the locality, for all its charms, would never make a great port. The quotation on our cover continues: "...and the worst is, it is embayed too far from the deep sea. Here are many rising hills, and on their tops and descents are many corn fields and delightful groves." It was these hilltop fields, cleared by the Indians, that made "Agoum" an attractive rumor to the settlers shivering at Plymouth in 1620, and that brought numerous squatter farmers here before official settlement, in 1633, by an expedition under John Winthrop, the Governor's son.

Our cover photograph shows the sandy mouth of the Ipswich River, etc.

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ELECTED

TOWN MODERATOR

Harry E. Munro

Term Expires

1971

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

John S. Bialek, Chairman

1972

Joseph A. Navarro

1972

Charles L. Rose

1971

James D. Smyth

1971

Elizabeth S. Cole

1973

CONSTABLE

Bernie Spencer

1971

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

George J. Geanakos, Chairman

1971

M. L. Scudder

1972

Peter Zervas

1972

Robert K. Weatherall

1972

James F. Collins

1971

Walter J. Pojasek

1973

Rainer Broekel

1973

HOUSING AUTHORITY

John G. Thatcher, Chairman

1973

Glenfred A. Wanzer

1974

Arthur Goodfellow, State Member

1971

Donald C. Hazen

1971

Stanley E. Eustace

1975

APPOINTED

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Elected At Town Meeting

Daniel B. Lunt, Chairman, (Resigned)

John D. Ames, Jr., (Resigned)

Richard A. Robie

1971

Charles C. Dalton

1971

(To fill the unexpired term caused by the resignation of Daniel B. Lunt)

Appointed by Moderator

Thomas P. Diggins

1971

Robert A. Woodburn

1971

Anthony J. Klos

1973

Appointed by Selectmen

David W. Scudder

1971

Paul K. Gahn

1972

William Markos, Chairman

1973

TOWN MANAGER

Richard N. Conti

1973

TOWN TREASURER

George C. Mourikas

1971

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Robert Leet

1973

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Henry F. Hills, Chairman

1973

James Lampropoulos

1972

John Kobos

1971

Anthony Murawski, Clerk

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Varnum S. Pedrick, Chairman

1972

William Lewis

1973

John D. Heaphy (Ass't Assessor)

SHELLFISH CONSTABLE

Arthur N. Moon

1972

SHELLFISH ADVISORY BOARD

Edward Nagus, Chairman

1971

Andrew Gianakakis

1971

Edwin Paquin

1971

Stephen Kent (Resigned)

Joseph Kmiec

1971

(To fill the unexpired term caused by the resignation of Stephen Kent)

Joseph Lauderowicz

1971

Charles R. Terrell

1971

Peter H. Cooke

1971

Arthur Moon (ex-officio member)

TOWN CLERK

Anthony Murawski

1972

TREE WARDEN

Armand T. Michaud

1972

BOARD OF HEALTH

Norman L. Quint, Chairman

1973

William C. Wigglesworth M.D.

1972

Frank L. Collins M.D. (Resigned)

Nancy P. Johnstone

1971

(To fill the unexpired term caused by the resignation of Frank L. Collins M.D.)

Roland R. Foucher, Health Agent

1971

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Gordon C. Player, Chairman

1971

Harold D. Bowen

1972

Leon B. Turner

1973

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

Edmund Kelleher

1972

Charles Goodhue

1971

Eleanor Pearson

1973

TOWN COUNSEL

F. Dale Vincent, Jr.

1971

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Robert W. Mansfield	1971
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PLANNING BOARD

John P. Prosser, Chairman	1974
Charles Lampson (Resigned)	
Jason A. Sokolov	1973
(To fill the unexpired term caused by the resignation of Charles Lampson)	
William H. Davis III	1972
William L. Thoen	1972
George A. Nikas	1975

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

James Theodosopoulos, Chairman	1972
Thaddeus Maciejowski	1974
S. Harold Perley	1973
Julius Kaszuba	1972
Daniel B. Lunt, Jr.	1975
Clarence Richter, Alternate	1971
Hollie Bucklin	1971

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Charles K. Cobb, Jr., Chairman	1971
Marie B. Ladd, Chairman (Resigned)	
William C. Hickling	1972
Jacob M. Israelsohn	1972
Dr. Harry Carpenter	1971
Costos Tsoutsouras	1973
Sarah L. Weatherall	1973

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

Joseph A. Navarro, Chairman	1972
Alexander B.C. Mulholland (Resigned)	
Peter W. Williamson	1974
Paul A. Grenier (Resigned)	
Thomas Emery	1974
(To fill the unexpired term caused by the resignation of Paul A. Grenier)	
Carol Berry	1973
Eugene A. Calabro	1972
John Rieman	1971
Terrance McSweeney	1975
Dale E. Dudgeon	1975

RECREATION AND PARKS COMMITTEE

James H. Daly, Director	1971
Warren E. Grant, Chairman	1972
Stanley Eustace	1972
Eleanor Knowles	1971
Frederick Jenkins	1973

GOVERNMENT STUDY COMMITTEE

Irving Small, Chairman	1971
Peter Zervas	1971
Jessie Girard	1971

Gordon Burlingham	1971
John Eby	1971
Maryruth Williamson	1971
Peter Johnson	1971
Douglas Holland	1971
David Kennedy	1971

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

John F. Conley, Chairman	1973
Barbara C. Emberly	1972
Louise B. Hodgkins	1972
George R. Mathey	1972
John G. Markos	1971
Lovell Thompson	1973
Alice Keenan	1973

MOSQUITO CONTROL COMMITTEE

Alice Keenan, Chairman	1971
Thelma Carey	1971
Cynthia F. Burns	1971
James Breton	1971
Harold Balch	1971
William DeTrude	1971
Herbert Brack	1971

MBTA ADVISORY COMMITTEE

John C. Vincent, Jr., Chairman	1971
Harold F. Balch	1971
Bruce R. Ball	1971
Raymond S. Barrows	1971
Leland Carter	1971
Charles K. Cobb, Jr.	1971
Nigel R. Godwin	1971
Charles Goodhue, Jr.	1971
Dorothy Greenlaw	1971
Cornelius Cleary	1971
James C. McManaway, Jr.	1971
Robert W. Weatherall	1971

ELECTRIC ADVISORY BOARD

George H. Bouchard, Chairman	1971
Lawrence R. Sweetser	1971
John H. Ward	1971
John A. Pechilis	1971
George E. Taylor	1971
Alan Whitehead	1971
Eugene L. Ames	1971
Jason A. Sokolov	1971
Thomas A. Ercoline, Jr.	1971

WATER RESOURCES STUDY COMMITTEE

Hollie A. Bucklin, Chairman	1971
Sally Weatherall	1971
Louis Geoffrion	1971
William C. Haines	1971
Edward Wegzyn	1971
Andrew Gianakakis	1971
Curtis R. Tuttle	1971

ESSEX, s.s.

To the Constable of the Town of Ipswich in said County
GREETINGS:

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify the Inhabitants of the Town of Ipswich qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the Ipswich High School in said Ipswich on

MONDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF
MARCH, 1970

at 7:30 o'clock in the evening to act on the following articles viz:

Moderator Harry Munro called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. He stated that a quorum was present; 293 needed for a quorum. The final count was established at 715 voters present.

Moved by Mr. Navarro that the Town Clerk read the opening and closing paragraphs of the Warrant and the Constable's Return. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote. Town Clerk Anthony Murawski read the opening and closing paragraphs of the Warrant and the Constable's Return.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that the non-voters and students be permitted into the auditorium to observe the proceedings of the meeting. Seconded. There were no objections.

The Moderator led the Salute to the Colors.

Reverend David F. Shire, Minister of the First and South Congregational Church, led the meeting in Prayer.

The following tellers were appointed by the Moderator to count the hand votes: Alfred Tobiasz, Bernard Pohl, Stanley Eustace, Arthur Moon, Harold Bowen and Andrew Gianakakis.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that before the meeting started, a minute of silence be observed for our late beloved Chief of Police Stanley J. Surpitski, a man who devoted his life for the good of our community, and for a wonderful young man who lost his life fighting with our forces in Vietnam, Sgt. John F. Mat-tarocchia, Jr. Moderator stated that no vote was needed upon this motion inasmuch as everyone is aware of the great loss to the community.

Article 1. To fix the salary and compensation of all elected town officers.

Moved by Mr. Kennedy that the salary and compensation of all elected officers be as fixed in the 1970 budget. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 2. To choose the following officers, viz:—

Moderator for one (1) year
Selectman for three (3) years
Constable for one (1) year
Two Members of the School Committee for three (3) years
One Member of the Housing Authority for five (5) years
And to vote "Yes" or "No" to the following questions:

Question No. 1. "Shall the Fluoridation of the public water supply for domestic use in this town be continued?"

Question No. 2. "Shall the Town, in addition to the payment of fifty percent of a premium for contributory group life and health insurance for employees in the service of this Town and their dependents, pay a subsidiary or additional rate?"

The above article to be voted on one ballot at their respective polling places as follows:

Precinct 1 Ipswich Junior High School, Green Street

Precinct 2 Winthrop School, Central Street

Precinct 3 Ipswich High School, High Street

Precinct 4 Burley School, Mount Pleasant Avenue

on Monday, March 9, 1970. The polls shall open at 10 a.m. and close at 8 p.m.

No vote required. Finance Committee Member William Markos spoke on Question 2 of the Ballot.

Article 3. To choose one member of the Finance Committee to serve for three (3) years.

Moved by Mr. Kennedy that Mr. Dale Vincent be nominated to the Finance Committee to serve for three years. Seconded. Moved by Mr. Paul Gahm that nominations be closed. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote. The original motion carried by voice vote.

Article 4. To hear and act upon the report of the Finance Committee, and raise and appropriate and transfer money for the ensuing year, including the compensation of town officers.

Moved by Mr. Lunt that the sum of \$4,612,588 be appropriated for the various budgets:

1. For the Operating Budget, \$2,088,629	
\$ 4,567	Transferred from the Overlay Surplus
	Reserve Fund to the Reserve Fund
61	From Collection Overage
8,084	From Receipts Reserved for Debt
	Payment
16,051	From Sewer Rental Receipts
85,469	From Surplus Revenue
1,974,397	To be raised and assessed.
2. For the Capital Budget, \$187,736	
\$ 12,956	From Insurance Reimbursement for
	Damages
163	From Highway Machinery Fund
1,983	From Sale of Cemetery Lots Fund
172,634	To be raised and assessed.
3. For the Library Budget, \$57,419	
\$ 2,136	From State aid to Libraries
914	From County Dog License Refund
369	To be raised and assessed.
4. For the School Budget, \$2,278,804	
\$ 7,500	From the Feoffees of the Grammar
	School
24,513	From Federal P.L. 874 Funds
2,246,791	To be raised and assessed. Seconded.

Moved by Mr. Bialek to amend the Operating Budget by increasing the police personnel salary by the sum of \$4,870 and the fire department personnel salaries by the sum of \$2,850 for a new Operating Budget total of \$2,096,449. Seconded.

Selectman Navarro spoke in favor of the amendment. Also speaking in favor of the amendment were Town Manager Stinson, and Fire Chief Russell Scahill.

Finance Committee Members Dale Vincent, Paul Gahm, and William Markos spoke against the amendment.

Finance Committee Member Anthony Klos moved the question. Seconded. Motion carried by voice vote and so declared by the Moderator.

Amendment lost by 348 voting in favor; 288 opposed. Four Hundred twenty four affirmative votes were needed for a 2/3 vote.

Main motion carried; 595 voting in the affirmative; 11 voting in the negative.

OPERATING BUDGET

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Moderator	125
Selectmen	7,845
Reserve Fund	20,000
Finance Committee	660
Planning Board	4,160
Election and Registration	7,600
Appeals Board	225
Town Manager	39,478
Finance Director	
(Operating)	4,500
(Misc. Finance)	234,615
Accountant	23,764
Treasurer and Collector	
(Operating)	27,816
(Debt Serv.)	652,652
Assessing	25,275
Billing Division	23,125
Town Clerk	11,327

Legal	11,975
Industrial Commission	115
Conservation Commission	420
Historic District Commission	225
Historical Commission	300

Total General Government \$1,096,202

PUBLIC SAFETY AND HEALTH

Police Department	\$ 185,305
Fire Department	179,485
Building Inspector	7,140
Civil Defense	2,830
Shellfish and Harbors	12,850
Health Department	83,075

Total Public Safety and Health \$ 470,685

PUBLIC WORKS

Administration Division	\$ 22,082
Building Division	29,034
Forestry Division	41,874
Highway Division	123,096
Equipment Maintenance Division	24,247
Snow and Ice Division	36,150
Sewer Division	32,105
Engineering Division	-0-
Cemetery Division	47,520
Park and Recreation	56,134

Total Public Works \$ 412,242

VETERANS SERVICES

Veterans Services	
(Less Administration Cost)	\$ 109,500

TOTAL OPERATING BUDGET \$2,088,629

Inclement weather does not dampen the Democratic spirit...right Stanley?...Town Meetings were well attended in 1970 in spite of adverse weather conditions...



CAPITAL BUDGET

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Accountant \$ 400

PUBLIC SAFETY AND HEALTH

Police Department \$ 3,400
 Fire Department 4,540
 Building Inspector 1,000
 Civil Defense 600
 Shellfish and Harbor 500

Total Public Safety and Health \$ 10,040

PUBLIC WORKS

Building Division \$ 11,700
 Forestry Division 3,750
 Highway Division 144,926
 Equipment Maintenance Division 2,120
 Cemetery Department 3,000
 Park and Recreation Department 11,800

Total Public Works \$ 177,296

TOTAL CAPITAL BUDGET \$ 187,736

LIBRARY \$ 57,419

SCHOOLS \$2,228,261

TOTAL BUDGET \$4,562,045

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to increase the annual compensation paid to members of the Ipswich Call Fire Department an additional \$125 per call fireman.

Moved by Mr. Eustace, seconded, that this article be indefinitely postponed. Carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue for the financial years beginning January 1, 1970 and January 1, 1971 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

Moved by Mr. Stinson that the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue for the financial years beginning January 1, 1970 and January 1, 1971, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 7 To see what action the Town will take in reducing the authorization to borrow under Article 6, Special Town Meeting January 16, 1967 from \$219,000 to \$119,000 and to reduce the authorization to borrow under Article 39, Annual Town Meeting 1967 from \$61,500 to \$61,000 and to take any further action thereto.

Moved by Mr. Stinson, seconded, that this article be indefinitely postponed. Unanimous voice vote.

Article 8. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the current expense of the Water Department, the same to be paid from revenues by the Water Department during the year 1970, and to see what action the Town will take in regard to surplus funds.

Moved by Mr. Kennedy, seconded, that the sum of \$199,528.00 be appropriated for current expenses of the water department; the same to be paid from revenue received by the water department in 1970, and further, that the sum of \$6,497.22 be transferred from the combined water surplus account comprising the following accounts: (1) APW 71-6, \$1,053.97 (2) Campanelli Standpipe, \$2,050.00 (3) Sale of bonds account, \$3,197.12 (4) Purchase, repair and installing meters, \$5.50, and (4) Water Surplus Account, \$190.63, to the Plant and Investment Account of the Water Department. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 9. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of promotion of the Town of Ipswich, said sum to be matched by an equal amount from the Chamber of Commerce.

Moved by Mr. Smyth that \$700 be appropriated to be used in conjunction with a matching sum of the Chamber of Commerce of Ipswich for the purpose of promotion of the Town of Ipswich. Seconded. Mr. Paulitz spoke against the motion. Motion carried by voice vote. Vote was questioned and a hand count was taken. Motion carried by hand count; 490 voting in the affirmative; 122, in the negative.

Article 10. To see if the Town will accept an engraving of the President of the United States from Francis R. Appleton, Jr., and to take any other action thereto.

Moved by Mr. Kennedy that the Town accept an engraving of the President of the United States from Francis R. Appleton, Jr., and that the engraving be placed in the collection of presidents in the High School, and further, that the Town expresses its appreciation for this unique and priceless collection. Seconded. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 11. To see what action the Town will take to the transfer of any available funds in the Electric Light Department.

Moved by Mr. Navarro that the town transfer \$59,000 from the Surplus Account of the Electric Light Department to the General Fund for the purpose of reducing taxes and that the sum of \$744.20 be transferred from the Surplus Account to the Construction Account of the Electric Department. Seconded. Mr. Paulitz inquired as to the amount of money in the surplus account of the electric department. Answer given by the town manager. Mr. Paulitz questioned context of town report concerning whether an amount shown was a true surplus figure. Explanation given by Town Accountant James H. Fithian. Motion carried by a unanimous voice vote as declared by the Moderator.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer a sum of money for the Stabilization Fund.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that this article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Finance Committee Member Kenneth McMullen spoke against indefinite postponement of the article. Motion on indefinite postponement lost by hand count; 231 voting in the affirmative; 352 in the negative. Moved by Mr. Lunt that \$35,000 be raised and appropriated and added to the Stabilization Fund. Seconded. Motion carried by hand count; 434 voting in the affirmative, 121 in the negative.

Article 13. To see what sum the Town will raise and appropriate to pay unpaid bills incurred in previous years and remaining unpaid.

Moved by Mr. Rose that this article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 14. To hear and act upon the reports of Committees, and to continue such committees as the Town may vote to continue.

Mr. Irving Small gave a report on the Government Study Committee and made a motion that the report be accepted and the committee continued. Seconded. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Mrs. Alice Kennan gave a report on the Mosquito Control Committee and made a motion that the report be accepted as the report of progress and the committee be continued. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Mr. John Conley gave a report of the Ipswich Historic District Study Committee and moved that the report be accepted and the committee be continued. Seconded. Motion carried by majority voice vote, so stated the Moderator

Mr. Edwin Damon gave a narrative report of the School Building Needs Committee and moved that the committee be continued with the membership remaining as in the previous year. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Mr. Charles Cobb gave a report of the MBTA Advisory Committee and moved that the report be accepted and the committee continued. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

A five-minute recess was called by the Moderator.

Moderator called the meeting back to order.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to create a Council on Aging and adopt the following by-law, all in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40, section 8B of the General Laws:

Section 1. The Town Manager shall appoint a Council on Aging for the purpose of co-ordinating or carrying out programs designed to meet the problems of the aging in cooperation with programs of the Commission on Aging established under Chapter 6, Section 73 of the General Laws, as amended.

Section 2. The Town Manager shall appoint a Council on Aging consisting of seven (7) members comprising three (3) members for three (3) years, two (2) members for two (2) years, and two (2) members for one (1) year terms. Members may be re-appointed for concurrent terms. The members of the Council shall serve without pay.

Section 3. Whenever a vacancy shall occur in the membership of the Council, by reason of death, resignation, inability to act or for any other reason, the vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the Town Manager for the remainder of the term.

Section 4. The Council on Aging at its first annual meeting, and thereafter, annually in April of each year, shall elect from the membership a President, Secretary and Treasurer. Each officer shall hold office until the next annual election. In the event a vacancy occurs in any of the offices above, the Council shall hold a special meeting for the purpose of electing one of its members to fill such vacancy.

Section 5. The Council shall prepare and submit an annual report of its activities to the Town, and to the Commission on Aging of the Commonwealth.

Moderator read complete context of Article 15. Moved by Mr. Daly that the town vote to create a Council on Aging, so-called, and to adopt the following by-law, all in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 8B of the General Laws, as read by the Moderator. Seconded. Mr. Daly spoke in favor of the motion. The Finance Committee recommended the motion. Mr. Francis Bourque, member of the Golden Age Club, spoke against the article and moved that the article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Selectman Charles Rose spoke against the original motion and spoke in favor of postponement. Mr. George Geanakas spoke against the original motion and in favor of postponement. Mr. Stanley Eustace of the Parks and Recreation Committee spoke against postponement. The Finance Committee withdrew its recommendation. Question moved. Seconded. Carried by voice vote. Motion to indefinitely postpone the article carried by voice vote.

Article 16. To see what action the Town will take to authorize acceptance of any funds from the Commonwealth for use by the Council on Aging, and to take any other action thereto.

Moved by Mr. James Daly that the article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 391, Acts of 1969, "An Act Authorizing Cities and Towns to Establish Youth Commissions", and to establish such a commission for the said Town as therein provided, and to take any other action relative thereto.

Moved by Mr. James Daly that the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 391, Acts of 1969, entitled "An Act Authorizing Cities and Towns to Establish Youth Commissions", and that such a Commission be established for the Town as therein provided. Seconded. Mr. Daly spoke on the motion. Both the Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee recommended adoption of the article. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to change the name of the Ipswich Junior High School to honor the memory of Ralph C. Whipple who gave dedicated service to Ipswich as the first principal of this school.

Moved by Mr. Edwin Damon that the town change the name of the Junior High School on Green Street to the Ralph C. Whipple School. Seconded. Motion carried by majority voice vote and so declared by the Moderator.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 90 Section 20C, as amended, which authorizes parking fines.

Moved by Attorney George Hayes that the town accept the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 90, Section 20C, as amended, which authorizes parking fines. Seconded. Motion carried by hand count; 433 voting in the affirmative, 169 in the negative.

Article 20. To see what action the Town will take to accept the provisions of the National Fire Underwriter's Code for the Town of Ipswich, and to take any further action thereto.

Moved by Fire Department Captain Harold Wile that the town vote to adopt for the purpose of prescribing regulations governing conditions hazardous to life and property from fire and explosion, that certain code known as the "Fire Prevention Code" recommended by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, being particularly the 1965 edition thereof and the whole thereof, save and except such portions as are hereinafter deleted, modified or amended herein, of which Code not less than two (2) shall be filed in the office of the Town Clerk after the adoption of said Code, and the same are hereby adopted and incorporated as fully as if set out at length herein, and from the date on which this By-Law shall take effect, the provisions hereof shall be controlled within the limits of the Town of Ipswich.

Section 1. - The Fire Prevention Code shall be enforced by the Chief of the Fire Department in the Town of Ipswich.

Section 2. - The Fire Chief may detail such members of the Fire Department as Inspectors as shall from time to time be necessary.

Section 3. - Definitions

A. Wherever the word "municipality" is used in the Fire Prevention Code, it shall be held to mean the Town of Ipswich.

B. Wherever the term "corporation counsel" is used in the Fire Prevention Code, it shall be held to mean the Town Counsel for the Town of Ipswich.

Section 4. - Establishments of Limits of Districts in which Storage of Flammable Liquids in Outside Above Ground Tanks is to be Prohibited.

A. The limits referred to in Section 16.22A of the Fire Prevention Code in which storage of flammable liquids in outside above ground tanks is prohibited, are hereby established as follows:

The Zoning Code and Judgment of the Fire Chief.

B. The limits referred to in Section 16.51 of the Fire Prevention Code, in which new bulk plants for

flammable liquids are prohibited, are hereby established as follows:

The Zoning Code and Judgment of the Fire Chief.

Section 5. - Establishment of Limits in Which Storage of Liquified Petroleum Gases is to be Restricted.

The limits referred to in Section 21.6A of the Fire Prevention Code, in which bulk storage of Liquified Petroleum Gas is restricted, are hereby established as follows:

Zoning Code and Judgment of the Fire Chief.

Section 6. - Establishment of Limits of Districts in Which Storage of Explosives and Blasting Agents is to be Prohibited.

The limits referred to in Section 12.5B of the Fire Prevention Code, in which Storage of explosives and blasting agents is prohibited, are hereby established as follows:

Zoning Code and Judgment of the Fire Chief.

Section 7 - Modifications

The Chief of the Fire Department shall have power to modify any of the provisions of the Fire Prevention Code upon application, in writing, by the owner or lessee, or his duly authorized agent, when there are practical difficulties in the way of carrying out the strict letter of the code, provided that the spirit of the Code shall be observed, public safety secured, and substantial justice done. The particulars of such modification when granted or allowed and the decision of the Fire Chief thereon shall be entered upon the records of the Fire Department and a signed copy shall be furnished the applicant.

Section 8 - Appeals

Whenever the Chief of the Fire Department shall disapprove an application or refuse to grant a permit applied for, or when it is claimed that the provisions of the Code have been misconstrued or wrongly interpreted, the applicant may appeal from the decision of the Chief of the Fire Department to the Board of Selectmen within fifteen (15) days from the date of the decision appealed.

Section 9. - New Materials, Processes or Occupancies which may require Permits.

The Board of Selectmen and the Chief of the Fire Department shall act as a committee to determine and specify, after giving affected persons an opportunity to be heard, such notice to be given by publication for one week in a newspaper having a circulation in the Town of Ipswich, any new materials, processes or occupancies, which shall require permits, in addition to those enumerated in said Code. The Chief of the Fire Department shall post such list in a conspicuous place in his office, and distribute copies thereof to interested persons upon request.

Section 10 - Penalties

A. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of the Code hereby adopted or fail to comply therewith, or who shall violate or fail to comply with any order made thereunder, or shall build in violation of any detailed statement of specifications or plans submitted and approved thereunder, or a certificate or permit issued thereunder and from which no appeal has been taken, or who shall fail to comply with such order as affirmed or modified by the Board of Selectmen or by a Court of Competent jurisdiction, within the time fixed

therein, shall severally for each and every such violation and noncompliance respectively, be liable to a penalty of \$20.00 for each offense.

The imposition of one penalty for any violation shall not excuse the violation or permit it to continue, and all such persons shall be required to correct or remedy such violations or defect within a reasonable time; and when not otherwise specified, each ten (10) days that prohibited conditions are maintained shall constitute a separate offense.

B. The application of the above penalty shall not be held to prevent the enforced removal of prohibited conditions.

Section 11 - Repeal of Conflicting By-Laws.

All former By-Laws or parts thereof conflicting or inconsistent with the provisions of the By-Law or of the Code hereby adopted are hereby repealed.

Seconded.

John Bialek spoke against adoption of this by-law at this time. Moved by Mr. Wile that the article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Motion to indefinitely postpone the article carried by majority voice vote.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to sell the Payne School property, so-called, located in Lord's Square, to establish terms and conditions pertaining thereto, and to authorize a special committee of five members to be appointed by the Board of Selectmen to determine a purchaser thereof, and to take any other action in respect thereto.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to sell the land and building of the Payne School property, so-called, located in Lord's Square for a sum of not less than \$30,000, and to give a deed in proper form on behalf of the Town, but as to the building there shall be stated in the said deed a restriction which will retain and preserve the existing structure and its exterior architectural features and be binding upon the grantee and successors in title. Further, that a special committee of five be appointed by the Board of Selectmen for the purpose of determining the said purchaser, and upon notice of the purchaser to the Board of Selectmen, the above deed will be executed. The said special committee will report its doings to the next annual town meeting. Seconded. Mr. McLeod and Mrs. Drumm spoke in favor of the article. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Mr. Angelo Johnson and Mr. George Geanakos spoke on the motion. Acting Chief of Police Armand Brouillette stated that the location would be ideal for either a police or fire station. Moderator stated that a 2/3 vote is necessary to sell town land. Hand Count taken; 247 voting in the affirmative, 375 in the negative — an affirmative vote of 416 needed to carry the motion. Motion defeated by hand count.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a piece of land with the building thereon, known as the Heard Property, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly, southeasterly, southwesterly and southerly by other land of the Town of Ipswich, and westerly by South Main Street, said land more particularly described in a Plan by T.A. Appleton (1935), Plan No. 340-G, Plan Cert. No. 10648 and recorded in the Registry of Deeds, and to appropriate

a sum of money therefor and to take any other action in respect thereto.

Moved by Mr. Navarro that this article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Finance Committee does not recommend the article. Motion for indefinite postponement carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 23. To see if the Town will transfer and designate that parcel of land marked Lot 107 on the Assessor's Map No. 42A, overlooking the cove, as a public park under the control of the Park and Recreation Commissioners by the authority set forth in Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 15A, as amended, and to take any other action thereto.

Moved by Mr. James Smyth that the town vote to transfer and designate that parcel of town-owned land marked Lot 107 on the Assessor's Map No. 42A, overlooking the cove, as a public park under the control of the Park and Recreation Commissioners by the authority set forth in Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 15A, as amended. Seconded. Attorney Raymond Sullivan, representing Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, abutters to property, appeared before the meeting and moved to amend the motion by adding the words "excepting therefrom a strip of land 12 feet wide abutting land of Harris, extending from County Street to the Cove which the Selectmen are directed to convey to George Harris et ux for an amount of money which the Selectmen shall consider to be fair and reasonable or in exchange for a piece of land 40 feet wide on County Street running to the Cove". Seconded. Mrs. Judith Fouser asked what parcels of land were involved. Chairman of the Conservation Commission Charles Cobb displayed the map of the area. Mr. Daniel B. Lunt, Jr. moved for indefinite postponement of the amendment. Seconded. Discussion ensued. Question was moved. Seconded, and carried by voice vote and so stated by Moderator. Mr. Kenneth McMullen moved for indefinite postponement of the main motion. Seconded. Carried by voice vote.

Article 24. To see if the Town will convey to George Harris et ux a piece of land twelve (12) feet wide on County Street abutting the home of said Harris and bounded by the Cove, for a price to be determined by the Selectmen, or in exchange for a piece of land forty (40) feet wide on County Street and abutting other land of the Town of Ipswich.

Moved by Attorney Raymond Sullivan that the article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Motion carried by majority voice vote.

Article 25. To see what action the Town will take to appropriate a sum of money to compensate land owners for proposed takings under Eminent Domain in accordance with Chapter 79 of the General Laws resulting from the widening and rebuilding of Linebrook Road, and to take any further action in respect thereto.

Moved by Mr. Navarro, that the town vote to appropriate the sum of \$7,500, said money to be used by the Board of Selectmen to compensate land owners for proposed takings under Eminent Domain in accordance with Chapter 79 of the General Laws resulting from the widening and rebuilding of Linebrook

Road. Seconded. Finance Committee recommends the article. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 26. To see if the Town will authorize the Town Manager to acquire by gift or purchase, or the Board of Selectmen to take under the power of Eminent Domain as authorized in Chapter 79 of the General Laws, certain easements in land for drainage purposes, those parcels more particularly described in a Plan entitled: "Proposed Stream Improvements Concrete Pipe Conduits and Appurtenance, Farley Brook (Wildes Court to Granite Court) Ipswich, by Department of Public Works of Massachusetts, Division of Waterways, Athanasos A. Vulgaropolos, Consulting Engineer, 26 Tudor Street, Waltham, Mass." said Plan being on file in the office of the Director of Public Works, and continuing westerly along both sides of Farley Brook, so called, to Mineral Street, and for this purpose to appropriate a sum of money, and to take any other action relative thereto.

Moved by Mr. Smyth that the town vote to authorize the Town Manager to acquire by gift or purchase or the Board of Selectmen to take under the power of Eminent Domain as authorized in Chapter 79 of the General Laws, certain easements in land for drainage purposes, those parcels more particularly described in a Plan entitled: "Proposed Stream Improvements Concrete Pipe Conduits and Appurtenance, Farley Brook (Wildes Court to Granite Court) Ipswich, by Department of Public Works of Massachusetts, Division of Waterways, Athanasos A. Vulgaropolos, Consulting Engineer, 26 Tudor Street, Waltham, Mass.," said plan being on file in the office of the Director of Public Works; and thence continuing; westerly along both sides of Farley Brook, so-called, to Mineral Street, and for this purpose to appropriate the sum of \$4,500.00. Seconded. Finance Committee Member Thomas Diggins moved that the article be indefinitely postponed due to lack of information. Seconded. Mr. Philip Viladenis spoke on main motion. Mr. Symth gave explanation and talked against indefinite postponement. Mr. Dale Vincent of the Finance Committee asked town counsel's opinion. Mr. Stinson stated that we will lose matching state funds. Mr. Diggins withdrew his motion for indefinite postponement. The Finance Committee now recommends the appropriation of \$4,500.00 Voice vote taken and questioned. Hand Count taken. Motion carried by hand count; 525 voting in the affirmative, 2 in the negative.

Article 27. To see what action the Town will take to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of laying new water mains and other improvements to the water system, and to provide payment by borrowing or otherwise.

Moved by Mr. Kennedy that the town appropriate \$68,000 for the laying and relaying of water mains not less than 6 inches in diameter, and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen is authorized to issue \$68,000.00 in bonds or notes of the Town under General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 8, as amended. Seconded. Finance Committee recommends the appropriation of \$68,000. Motion carried by hand count; 464 voting in the affirmative; 5 in the negative.

Article 28. To see what action the Town will take to raise and appropriate a sum of money for con-

struction of sanitary and surface drainage purposes in the Town Wharf Service Area in accordance with a Plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and to provide payment by borrowing or otherwise, and to take any other action in respect thereto.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that \$118,000.00 be appropriated for the construction of surface drains, sewers, sewerage systems and sewage treatment and disposal facilities in the Town Wharf Service Area in accordance with a Plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and to raise this appropriation, the sum of \$18,000.00 from Article 59, Annual Town Meeting 1966 be transferred and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to issue \$100,000.00 bonds or notes of the town under General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 8 as amended. Seconded. Finance Committee approves the article. Motion carried by hand count; 545 voting in the affirmative; 0 in the negative.

Article 29. To see if the Town will amend Article 41 of the Annual Town Meeting of March 2, 1959 which established the method of determining the proportionate cost of the sewer system in the Town of Ipswich as to general taxation and as to assessment against lands abutting the sewer system, and take any other action relative thereto.

Moved by Mr. Kennedy that the article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for constructing additions and improvements to the sewage treatment and disposal facilities and the sewerage system; and determine how the money shall be raised by transfer of any available funds or by borrowing or otherwise; and to take any action relative thereto, including rescission of bond authorizations previously made for the same project.

Moved by Mr. Smyth that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,110,000 for the construction of sewers, sewerage systems and sewage treatment and disposal facilities; that to meet this appropriation, the sum of \$20,000.00 be transferred from Sewer Betterment Reserve, and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to issue \$3,090,000.00 bonds or notes of the Town under Chapter 44, Section 8 (15) of the General Laws as amended; and the Town Manager with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to carry out said project and to contract for and expend State and Federal construction grants for the project providing that such State and Federal grants of not less than 80% of the amount be made available, and providing that the total authorized borrowing shall be reduced by the amount of any State or Federal Construction aid, and further, that bond authorizations under Article 16, Annual Town Meeting, March 1969 is hereby rescinded, and I further move that the above motion be voted on by printed ballot on March 9, 1970 at the same time the election of town officers will be held. Seconded. Finance Committee recommends the article. Chairman Bialek spoke in favor of it. Town Manager supported the article. Planning Board supported the article. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote to have balloting day on 3-9-70 as specified in motion.

Article 31. To see what action the Town will take to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by eminent domain under the provisions of Chapter 79 of the General Laws, land or easements in land for the purpose and construction of sanitary and surface drainage pipes, conduits, and other appurtenant installations, on private property, the area shown on a plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and for such purpose, to appropriate a sum of money by borrowing or otherwise, and to take any other action in respect thereto.

Moved by Mr. Stinson that the town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by eminent domain under the provisions of Chapter 79 of the General Laws, land or easements in land for the purpose of construction of sanitary and surface drainage pipes, conduits, and other appurtenant installations, on private property, the area shown on a plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk as more particularly described in Article 28, 30 and 37 of this Warrant, and for this purpose, to appropriate the sum of \$1000.00. Seconded. Finance Committee approves the article. Mr. Stinson displayed a map relative to area described in article. Motion carried by hand count; 418 voting in the affirmative; 11 voting in the negative.

Article 32 To see what action the Town will take to appropriate a sum of money to purchase land in the Town of Ipswich for the location of a new high school on Mile Lane, so-called, more particularly described in an Option for Purchase, from Louis A. Balboni, et ux, to the School Building Needs Committee, dated 6 October 1969, a copy of which is on file with the Town Clerk, and to provide for payment by appropriation, transfer, borrowing or otherwise, and to take any further action relative thereto.

Moved by Mr. Damon that the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$83,000 and to authorize the School Building Needs Committee to purchase land in the Town of Ipswich for the location of a new high school on Mile Lane, so-called, more particularly described in an Option for Purchase, from Louis A. Balboni, et ux, to the School Building Needs Committee, dated 6 October 1969, a copy of which is on file with the Town Clerk, and further, that the sum of \$2,000.00 be appropriated for advertising and publicity administrative costs of the said project. Seconded.

The Finance Committee recommends the article. Mr. James Siamatas spoke against the article. Mr. George Geanakos supported the article. Motion to move question. Seconded. Question moved by voice vote. Motion carried by hand count on original motion - 2/3 vote required - 420 voting in the affirmative; 41 in the negative.

Article 33. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Town's share of the Whittier Regional Vocational School District annual planning and administration expenses.

Moved by Mr. Robert Weatherall that the town appropriate the sum of \$6,174.00 to pay the town's apportioned share of the operating expenses of the Whittier Regional Vocational Technical High School District

for the year 1970. Seconded. Finance Committee approved the article. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

At this time, the Moderator stated that it was his prerogative to change the order of the articles in the Warrant and moved that Article 36 and 37 be taken up at this time. There were no objections.

Article 36. To see if the Town will approve and authorize a certain proposed agreement between the Town Manager, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, and Country Club of Ipswich, Inc. and Ipswich Fairways, Inc., both corporations, to be executed by the aforesaid parties, and now on file in the office of the Town Clerk and to take such further action as the Town Meeting may direct in respect thereto.

Moved by Mr. Stinson that the town approve and authorize a certain proposed agreement between the Town Manager with the approval of the Board of Selectmen and Country Club of Ipswich, Inc., and Ipswich Fairways, Inc., both corporations, to be executed by the aforesaid parties, and on file in the office of the Town Clerk. Seconded.

Mr. Stinson spoke in favor of it. The Finance Committee, Planning Board and the Board of Selectmen recommended approval of the article. Motion carried by majority voice vote and so stated by the Moderator.

Article 37. To see what action the Town will take to raise and appropriate a sum of money for construction of sanitary and surface drainage purposes in the Muddy Run Service Area in accordance with a Plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and to provide payment by borrowing or otherwise, and to take any other action in respect thereto.

Moved by Mr. Navarro that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,700,000.00 for the construction of sewers, sewerage systems and sewage treatment and disposal facilities in the Muddy Run Service Area, substantially in accordance with a plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and to meet this appropriation, the sum of \$20,000.00 shall be transferred from Sewer Betterment Reserve, and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to issue \$1,680,000.00 bonds or notes of the Town under Chapter 44 Section 8 (15) of the General Laws, as amended; but only if a contract is executed under Article 36 providing for the payment to the town of not less than \$450,000.00 to reduce the net cost of the project; and that the Town Manager with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to carry out said project and to contract for and expend state and federal grants for the project, provided that the total authorized borrowing shall be reduced by the amount of any state or federal construction aid and by the amount received under the contract referred to above; and I further move that the above motion be voted on by printed ballot on March 9, 1970 at the same time the election of town officers will be held. Seconded.

Finance Committee and Planning Board recommended approval of the article. Much discussion fol-

lowed. The question was moved. Seconded. Carried by voice vote. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote to have balloting day on March 9, 1970 as specified in the motion.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Protective Zoning By-Law of the Town of Ipswich, Massachusetts, dated September 1957, as amended, by voting the change in the text as published as a Legal Notice in the Ipswich Chronicle, February 12 and February 19, 1970.

Moved by Mr. Prosser that the Town amend the Protective Zoning By-Law of the Town of Ipswich adopted November 4, 1956, and amended March 3, 1958, March 7, 1960; March 5, 1962; March 1, 1965; March 6, 1967, March 18, 1968, March 17, 1969; and June 30, 1969, by striking out Sections 1 through 9 of the present text, including all amendments thereto, in their entirety and inserting in place thereof the following Section I through IX inclusive, all of which were contained in the text published as a legal notice in the Ipswich Chronicle dated February 12 and February 19, 1970, and including the following corrections to said text:

SECTION V. PERMITTED USES

In the third line of the first sentence after the word "district" insert the word "only", and at the end of the first sentence add the following: "except that the use of land for any church, or for any educational purpose which is religious, sectarian, denominational or public shall be permitted in any district."

SECTION V. D. Planned Community Development (PCD) District.

Paragraph 3. Change Roman numeral "V" to Roman numeral "VI."

SECTION VI. H. Exceptions to the Location of Buildings.

Paragraph 1. At the end of the second sentence, add the words "with a front yard conforming to the requirements of this by-law."

SECTION VIII. Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements.

Sub-section A. At the beginning of the first sentence, insert the words "after the effective date of this by-law."

Sub-section B. In the first sentence, after the word "structure," add the words "existing at the effective date of this by-law."

Seconded.

Attorney Joseph Riley spoke against the motion. Mr. Daniel B. Lunt, Jr. spoke in favor of the motion. The League of Women Voters supported the motion. Mr. Paulitz moved to amend the motion as follows: Section V, Para. 4 - remove words "Public Incenerator"; Add to Sect. H. Industrial District, new Section 4 "Public Incenerator" Table of Lot and Building Requirements, District GB - Minimum front from none to 20 feet. Seconded. Amendment lost by voice vote. Original motion carried by hand count; 222 voting in the affirmative, 80 in the negative.

Article 35. To add under Section 5, subsection b., to the Zoning By-law, Town of Ipswich, the following Article, which will be Article No. 5 - Medical and/or Dental Clinics.

Moved by Dr. Marsh that the Town amend the Protective Zoning By-Law of the Town of Ipswich adopted November 4, 1956, and amended March 3, 1958; March 7, 1960; March 5, 1962; March 1, 1965; March 6, 1967; March 18, 1968; March 17, 1969; and June 30, 1969, by adding to Section 5.B. thereof as a use permitted anywhere in the Town by Special Exception the following: "5. Medical or dental clinics." Seconded.

Planning Board filed their report that a public hearing was held as required by law. Attorney Riley spoke against the article. Moderator stated that passage of article required a 2/3 vote. Motion lost by hand count; 152 in the affirmative, 91 in the negative. 162 affirmative votes were required.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to permit the Ipswich Marina Corporation to construct a Marina in the Neck Creek Marsh and upland area bordering Jeffrey's Neck Road and dredge Neck Creek to Ipswich River. Also, to have the Board of Selectmen place certain regulations necessary in the best interest of the Town.

Moved by Mr. Walter Petrowicz that the article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 39. To see if the Town of Ipswich will accept the unaccepted portion of the roadway known as Island Park Road.

Moved by Mr. Stinson that the article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

At this time, Mr. Peter Markos questioned the quorum. Count showed 263 voters present; 293 required for a quorum.

Mr. Bialek moved that the meeting be adjourned until Tuesday, March 3, 1970 at 7:30 p.m. Seconded.

First session of the 1970 Annual Town Meeting adjourned at 12:40 a.m., March 3, 1970.

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1970
IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL

Moderator Harry Munro called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. He stated that 293 voters were required for a quorum and at this time there were 241 voters present and asked for the pleasure of the meeting.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that the meeting be delayed for 15 minutes more or until we get a quorum. Seconded. Carried by voice vote.

At 7:40 p.m., the Moderator announced that 300 voters were present and called the meeting to order. Final count showed that 373 voters were present for the second session of the annual town meeting.

At this time, the Moderator announced that he would not accept reconsideration of any action passed

at the first session of the annual town meeting. He further stated that his decision is based on the fact that voters present at the first session are not in attendance this evening and would not have the opportunity to vote on any article under reconsideration.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to acquire by eminent domain, purchase or otherwise for the purpose of constructing thereon a reservoir, pumping station, and water treatment facility, the following parcels of land, together with necessary rights of way and water rights: Beginning at a point 270 feet, more or less, from the westerly corner of land of Rice, running on several courses southeasterly and northeasterly 1420 feet, more or less by land of said Rice, thence on several courses northeasterly, southeasterly, southerly 2570 feet, more or less, by land of Allegheney Realty Trust; thence on two courses northeasterly 570 feet, more or less by land of Pappas; thence on two courses 875 feet, more or less, by land now or formerly of Hussey; thence northerly and northeasterly 1170 feet, more or less by land of Pappalimperis thence northwesterly 55 feet across Pineswamp Road; thence northwesterly 640 feet, more or less, by land of Ladd; thence southwesterly 1220 feet, more or less, by land now or formerly of Chapman, thence southwesterly on several courses 1340 feet; more or less, by land of Wegzyn; thence southwesterly 590 feet, more or less by land of Kamon, thence southerly 40 feet, more or less, across Pineswamp Road; thence southerly 270 feet, more or less, by Pineswamp Road and land of Rice; aforesaid, to the point of beginning. Meaning to describe herein lands of Rice, Allegheney Realty Trust, Wegzyn, Chapman, Hussey, Pappalimperis, and Kamon as shown on a plan by Essex Survey Service and on file with the Town Clerk, including also land of Pappalimperis lying between the above described taking line, and the northerly property line of Pappalimperis near Topsfield Road; and to appropriate a sum of money, therefore, and to appropriate a further sum of money for surveys, engineering and other planning costs related to such construction and to determine whether such appropriations shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise, and to take any other action relative thereto.

Attorney Charles Dalton, representing the League of Women Voters, moved that the Selectmen be authorized to acquire by eminent domain, purchase, or otherwise, for the purpose of constructing thereon a reservoir, pumping station and water treatment facility, the following parcels of land, together with necessary rights of way and water rights: Beginning at a point 270 feet, more or less, from the westerly corner of land of Rice, running on several courses southeasterly and northeasterly 1420 feet, more or less by land of said Rice, thence on several courses northeasterly, southeasterly, southerly 2570 feet, more or less, by land of Allegheney Realty Trust; thence on two courses northeasterly 570 feet, more or less, by land of Pappas; thence on two courses 875 feet, more or less, by land now or formerly of Hussey; thence northerly and northeasterly 1170 feet, more or less, by land of Pappalimperis thence northwesterly 55 feet across Pineswamp Road; thence northwesterly 640 feet, more or less, by land of Ladd; thence southwesterly 1220 feet, more or less, by land of Ladd; thence southwesterly 1220 feet, more or less, by land now or formerly of Chapman; thence southwesterly on several

courses 1340 feet, more or less, by land of Wegzyn; thence southwesterly 590 feet, more or less, by land of Kamon; thence southerly 40 feet, more or less, across Pineswamp Road; thence Southerly 270 feet, more or less, by Pineswamp Road and land of Rice; aforesaid, to the point of beginning. Meaning to describe herein lands of Rice, Allegheney Realty Trust, Wegzyn, Chapman, Hussey, Pappalimperis, and Kamon as shown on a plan by Essex Survey Service and on file with the Town Clerk, including also land of Pappalimperis lying between the above-described taking line, and the northerly property line of Pappalimperis near Topsfield Road and that the sum of \$165,000.00 be appropriated therefor; that to meet this appropriation, \$5,000.00 shall be included in the 1970 tax levy and the treasurer with the approval of the selectmen be authorized to borrow \$150,000.00 under Section 7 (3) of Chapter 44 of the General Laws as amended; and that \$10,000.00 be appropriated from the 1970 tax levy for surveys, engineering and other planning costs related to such construction; that the town manager with the approval of the selectmen be authorized to contract for federal and state aid for the project.

Seconded.

Finance Committee does not recommend adoption of the article. Finance Committee Member Kenneth McMullen expressed opposition to the finance committee's recommendation. Chairman of the Board of Selectmen John Bialek stated that the Board was unanimously opposed to the motion and explained their reasons. During Mr. Bialek's presentation, Mr. Brainard Wallace asked repeatedly for a point of order. The Moderator stated that there was no point of order and called Mr. Wallace out of order. Mr. Bialek stated that he was speaking for the Board of Selectmen and not as a member of the Ipswich Watershed Study Committee. Mr. George Geanakos moved that we delay action and called for indefinite postponement. Seconded. The Planning Board recommended approval of the article and spoke against indefinite postponement. At this time, Attorney Joseph Riley, representing the Kamon Family of Pineswamp Road spoke in opposition to the main motion. Chairman of the League of Women Voters, Mrs. Griffin, urged adoption of the article. At this time, Mr. Geanakos stated that the meeting is voting on whether or not the article will be indefinitely postponed. The question was moved. Seconded.

The following tellers were appointed by the Moderator. Mr. Robert Weatherall, Mr. Charles Cobb, Mr. Stanley Eustace, Mr. Arthur Moon, and Mr. Frank Amaro.

Hand Count of moving the question was taken and the motion to move question was lost; 146 voting to cease debate and 188 voting to continue.

Judge Johnson and Mr. Dale Vincent spoke against the motion. Mr. Donald Fouser supported main motion. Mr. Daniel B. Lunt spoke against indefinite postponement. Mr. Brainard Wallace again interrupted the meeting. Mr. Daniel B. Lunt, chairman of the finance committee stated that the finance committee is not unanimously in support of the article. Attorneys Dalton and Riley again addressed the meeting. Mr. William Markos stated that he had no financial interest

in the project. Motion for indefinite postponement carried with 197 voting in the affirmative; 187, opposed. Motion and article did not pass as stated by Moderator.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to restrict the use of Castle Neck, line east of the Ipswich River and west of Castle Neck River as follows:— In recognition of the danger of disturbing the delicate balance of the ecology of the beach and dunes in the Castle Neck area, the following restrictions are adopted for Castle Neck, line east of the Ipswich River and west of Castle Neck River: Except when done as part of a beach and dune management and restoration program, the use of motorized vehicles, except on designated prepared accesses and below the wrack line, and the removal of sand or gravel should be prohibited.

Mrs. Sally Weatherall moved for indefinite postponement of the article. Seconded. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote and so declared.

Article 42. To see what action the Town will take relative to extending the Sanitary Sewer to Juniper, Oakhurst, Topsfield, Bush Hill Roads and Abell Avenue, and to provide for the payment thereof by borrowing or otherwise.

Moved by Mr. Joseph Navarro that \$153,000 be appropriated for the construction of a sanitary sewer system to Juniper, Oakhurst, Topsfield, Bush Hill Roads and Abell Avenue, and to raise the appropriation, the treasurer with the approval of the selectmen be authorized to issue \$153,000 in bonds or notes of the town under Chapter 44, Section 8 (15) of the G.L. as amended. Seconded.

Mr. Bialek opposed the motion. Finance Committee does not recommend the motion. Moderator stated that since this is a bonding issue, it requires a 2/3 vote. Motion lost by hand count; 38 voting in the affirmative, 201 in the negative.

Article 43. To see what action the Town will take relative to extending the Sanitary Sewer to Ryan

Avenue and Perley Avenue North and to provide for the payment thereof by borrowing or otherwise.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that the article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that the meeting be dissolved. Seconded. Carried by voice vote.

Meeting dissolved and so declared by Moderator. Meeting dissolved at 8:55 p.m.

ATTEST:

Anthony A. Murawski
Town Clerk

SPECIAL BALLOTING DAY MONDAY, MARCH 9, 1970

Ballots were prepared by the Moderator, Mr. Harry E. Munro, and the Town Clerk, Mr. Anthony A. Murawski, as required by Town By-Law.

The result of the balloting was:

Article 30.

YES	1,822
NO	1,258
Blanks	232
TOTAL	3,312

Article 37.

YES	1,622
NO	1,296
Blanks	394
TOTAL	3,312

ATTEST:

Anthony A. Murawski
Town Clerk

Citizens of Ipswich demonstrated their perseverance and democratic interest by participating in six Town Meetings in 1970.



SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
MAY 11, 1970
IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL

ESSEX, ss.

To the Constable of the Town of Ipswich in said County

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify the Inhabitants of the Town of Ipswich, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL, in said Ipswich on

MONDAY, THE ELEVENTH DAY
OF MAY, 1970

at 7:30 O'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Moderator Harry Munro called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. and stated that 135 voters were present; 292 needed for a quorum. He asked the pleasure of the voters present.

Moved by Mr. Navarro that the meeting be postponed until 8 p.m. or until we have a quorum. Seconded. Motion carried by voice vote.

At 7:45 p.m., the Moderator stated that a quorum was present and called the meeting to order.

Moved by Mr. Stinson that the town clerk read the opening and closing paragraphs of the Warrant and the Constable's Return. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Mr. Anthony Murawski, town clerk, read the opening and closing paragraphs of the Warrant and the Constable's Return.

The Moderator stated that we have one guest who would like to attend the meeting as a spectator. There was no objection.

Moderator led the meeting in the Salute to the Colors.

Reverend Douglas C. Smith gave the Invocation.

The following named persons were appointed tellers: Ray Brockel, Barry Cole, Walter Hulbert and Charles Cobb.

Final Count showed that 687 voters were present during the town meeting.

The Moderator stated that the first three articles required a majority vote to have them placed on the ballot.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for constructing sewers, sewerage systems and sewage treatment and disposal facilities to the present sewage treatment and disposal facilities and the sewerage system; and to determine how the money shall be raised by transfer of any available funds or by borrowing or otherwise; and to take any action relative thereto, including rescission of bond authorizations previously made for the same project.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that

(a) the Town raise and appropriate \$3,115,000.00 for the construction of sewers, sewerage systems and sewage treatment and disposal facilities to expand the present sewage treatment facility, substantially in accordance with a report entitled, "Additions and Alterations To the Water Pollution Control Plant and Sewerage System" by Metcalf & Eddy, dated February 1970;

(b) that to meet this appropriation \$20,000.00 is transferred from the Sewer Betterment Reserve, and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to borrow \$3,095,000.00 under Chapter 44, Section 8 (15) of the General Laws, as amended;

(c) that the Town Manager with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to carry out said project and to contract for and expend State and Federal construction grants for the project providing that the Selectmen determine that 80% of the eligible cost of the project is available from such grants and providing that the total authorized borrowing shall be reduced by the amount of any such grants;

(d) that bond authorizations under Article 16, Annual Town Meeting, March 1969 is hereby rescinded;

(e) that the above motion be voted on by printed ballot at the adjourned special town meeting on May 18, 1970.

Seconded

Chairman of the Finance Committee Daniel B. Lunt stated that the finance committee recommends adoption. Planning Board Chairman John Prosser stated that the planning board recommends adoption. Selectman Rose spoke in favor. Hand Count showed 537 voting in the affirmative; 132 in the negative. Moderator declared Article 1 carried to be voted by ballot.

Article 2 To see what action the town will take to raise and appropriate a sum of money for construction of sewers, sewerage systems and sewage treatment and disposal facilities in the Muddy Run Service Area in accordance with a Plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and to determine how the money shall be raised by transfer of any available funds or by borrowing or otherwise and to take any other action relative thereto.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that

(a) the Town raise and appropriate \$1,525,000.00 for the construction of sewers and sewerage systems in the Muddy Run Service Area, so-called, substantially in accordance with a plan on file in the office of Town Clerk, and also described by a report from Metcalf & Eddy entitled, "Additions and Alterations To The Water Pollution Control Plant and Sewerage System," dated February 1970;

(b) to meet this appropriation, the sum of \$20,000.00 shall be transferred from Sewer Betterment Reserve, and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to borrow \$1,505,000.00 under Chapter 44, Section 8 (15) of the General Laws, as amended;

(c) the town manager with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to carry out said project, and to contract for and expend State and Federal Construction grants for the project providing that the Selectmen determine that 80% of the eligible cost of the project is available from such grants and providing

that the total authorized borrowing shall be reduced by the amount of such state and federal construction aid, and

(d) that the above motion be voted on by printed ballot at the adjourned special town meeting on May 18, 1970.

Seconded.

Mr. Dale Vincent, member of the Finance Committee stated that the finance committee recommends the article. Mr. Andrew Gianakakis, Rep. John F. Dolan, Attorney Arthur Ross, Mr. Thomas Emery and Attorney Cornelius Cleary spoke against the article. Selectman Navarro, Planning Board Chairman John Prosser (for the planning board) spoke in support of the article. Mr. Borus Boysthen-Tkacz spoke on the motion. Mr. Charles Rose moved the question. Motion to move the question lost.

Further speaking against the motion were Mr. Angelo Johnson and Mr. Fred Paulitz. Town Manager Stinson spoke in favor. Question moved. Seconded. Motion carried by voice vote.

Original motion to place this article on the ballot carried with 366 voting in the affirmative; 314 in the negative. Moderator declared that the motion carried.

Article 3. To see what action the town will take to raise and appropriate a sum of money for construction of sewers, sewerage systems and sewage treatment and disposal facilities from a point near Mile Lane to the Eastern boundary of the Planned Community Development, so-called, as shown on a plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and to determine how the money shall be raised by transfer of any available funds and by borrowing or otherwise; and to take any other action relative thereto.

Moved by Mr. Navarro that the Town raise and appropriate \$175,000.00 for the construction of sewers or sewerage systems from a point near Mile Lane to the eastern boundary of the Planned Community Development, so-called, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow \$175,000.00 under Chapter 44, Section 8 (15) of the General Laws, as amended; and the town manager with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to carry out said project and that the above motion be voted on by printed ballot at the adjourned special town meeting on May 18, 1970.

Seconded.

Mr. Lunt of the finance committee stated that said committee recommends adoption. Mr. John Prosser of the Planning Board stated that said board recommends adoption. Speaking in opposition to the motion were Mr. Borus Boysthen-Tkacz and Rep. John F. Dolan. Attorney Raymond Sullivan stated that he was counsel for Radice Realty and spoke in favor of the motion. Mr. John Bialek, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, spoke in favor of the motion.

Motion made to move the question. Seconded. Question moved by voice vote.

Main motion carried with 350 voting in the affirmative; 257 in the negative.

Article 4. To see if the Town will adopt the following By-Law: "All wires used for the transmission of electric power and for the transmission of messages extending for distances of 1320 feet or more shall be installed below the surfaces of the ground by wires approved by the Superintendent of the Electric Light Department.

Mrs. Mary Ross moved for indefinite postponement of this article. Seconded. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 5. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint a Committee to review zoning by-laws of the Town for the purpose of amending the By-Laws so as to clarify certain ambiguities.

Moved by Mr. Ross that this article be indefinitely postponed. Seconded. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Article 6. To see what action the Town will take relative to extending the existing Sanitary Sewer System southerly along the Ipswich River and along Saltonstall Brook to sewer South Main Street, Upper River Road, Beechwood Road, Masconomet Road, County Road, Southern Heights, County Manor, and Essex Road in accordance with the report entitled "Report on Sewerage and Sewage Disposal, July, 1961," by Camp, Dresser and McKee, Boston, Mass., and to provide for the payment thereof by borrowing or otherwise.

Mr. Harris Smith moved that the Town appropriate \$350,000.00 for sewers and sewage systems to extend the existing sanitary sewer system southerly in accordance with the "Report on Sewerage and Sewage Disposal, July, 1961, by Camp, Dresser and McKee, Consulting Engineers, Boston, Mass., and that sewers be extended in streets and in private property, in general, as indicated in the above report, to serve the following: County Road from Ward Street to Masconomet Road; cross country along Saltonstall Brook and along Ipswich River, South Main Street to Upper River Road; Essex Road from County Road to high point; Masconomet Road; Beechwood Road; South Main Street; Southern Heights; Southern Manor; and Upper River Road; and to make such modifications of the existing system as are required; and that the Selectmen be authorized to acquire by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, land and/or easements as required for the purpose of construction of this sewer extension; and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to borrow \$350,000 under General Laws, Chapter 44 Section 8 (15) as amended, and I further move that the Town vote on the above motion by printed ballot at an adjourned session of this meeting to be held on the 18th day of May, 1970. Seconded.

The Board of Selectmen, Finance Committee and Planning Board recorded themselves in opposition to the adoption of this motion.

Speaking in favor were Mr. William Zackman, Mr. Stanley Eustace and Mr. William Manning. Mr. Irving Small inquired about the motion.

Hand Count on motion carried with 236 voting in the affirmative and 102 in the negative.

Article 7. To see if the Town will transfer to the stabilization fund the sum of \$3,000.00 which was appropriated under Article 18 of the Annual 1969 Town Meeting. This article relating to fluoridation was defeated by the voters on ballots.

Moved by Mrs. Nancy B. Johnston that the Town transfer to the Stabilization Fund the sum of \$3,000.00 which was appropriated under Article 18 of the Annual 1969 Town Meeting. Seconded.

Speaking against the motion were the finance committee and Dr. Wigglesworth, for the Board of Health.

Mr. Paulitz spoke in favor of the article. The Board of Selectmen had no recommendation.

Hand Count taken showed that motion lost with 140 voting in the affirmative; 186 in the negative.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that the meeting be adjourned until Monday, May 18, 1970 at 7:30 p.m. at the Ipswich High School. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Meeting adjourned.

ATTEST:

Anthony A. Murawski
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL
7:30 p.m., May 18, 1970

A total of 292 registered voters is required for a quorum.

At 7:30 p.m., the Moderator announced that a quorum was present. He further stated that there would be no discussion nor debate. Any questions would be answered by the Board of Selectmen.

Ballot vote was taken by ballots prepared by the Moderator and the Town Clerk as required by the town by-laws.

The Moderator announced that the polls are now closed; time of closing, 9:22 p.m.

Results of the Balloting: -

Article 1.	
Yes	846
No	571
Blanks	18
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1435 Total	

Article 2.	
Yes	563
No	816
Blanks	56
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1435 Total	

Article 3.	
Yes	577
No	825
Blanks	33
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1435 Total	

Article 6.	
Yes	633
No	753
Blanks	49
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1435 Total	

Moderator announced results of the ballot vote. Since a 2/3 vote or 958 affirmative votes were needed, the above articles were defeated.

Moved by Mr. Rose, that the meeting be dissolved. Seconded. Carried by unanimous vote. Meeting dissolved at 10:45 p.m.

ATTEST:

Anthony A. Murawski
Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL
Monday, June 22, 1970

ESSEX ss.

To the Constable of the Town of Ipswich in said County
GREETINGS

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify the Inhabitants of the Town of Ipswich, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL, in said Ipswich on

MONDAY, THE TWENTY-SECOND DAY
OF JUNE, 1970

at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

At 7:30 P.M., the Moderator, Mr. Harry E. Munro, called the meeting to order and stated that 293 voters were required for a quorum and that we had 114 voters present. He asked the pleasure of the meeting. Moved by Mr. Joseph Navarro, that this meeting be adjourned until 8:00 p.m. or until such time as a quorum was present. Seconded. Carried by an unanimous voice vote.

At 7:40 P.M., the Moderator announced that a quorum was present with 298 voters present. Final count showed 348 voters attended the meeting.

The Moderator asked if there were any objections to allow students and guests in the meeting as spectators. No objections recorded.

Chairman of the Board of Selectmen John S. Bialek moved that the Town Clerk read the opening, and closing paragraphs of the Warrant and also the Constable's Return. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

The Town Clerk, Anthony A. Murawski, read the opening and closing paragraphs of the Warrant and also the Constable's Return.

The Moderator led the Town Meeting in the Salute to the Colors.

Reverend David Shire gave the Invocation.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of additional School Department Budget and determine whether said appropriation shall be provided by transfer from available funds in the amount of \$27,470.50, or take any other action relative thereto.

Mr. George Geanakos moved that the town appropriate and transfer the sum of \$17,373.65 from Free Cash to School Budget. Seconded.

Chairman of the Finance Committee Daniel B. Lunt stated that the Finance Committee voted unanimously not to recommend the appropriation; but to find it in the school budget and urged the meeting to vote "NO".

Town Counsel Dale Vincent announced that it only takes a majority vote to defeat the Finance Committee's recommendation.

The following named persons were appointed tellers: Messrs. Leo Geoffrion, Alfred Tobiasz, James McCormack, Albert Drown and Charles Cobb.

Hand Count was taken on the motion to Article 1 and showed that 166 voted in favor; 126 opposed. Moderator announced that the motion carried.

Article 2. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to construct, and originally equip and furnish a new high school, and to determine whether such appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise or take any other action with respect thereto.

Mr. Edwin Damon moved that the Town appropriate \$6,495,000 to construct and originally equip and furnish a high school, and to raise this appropriation, shall the Town transfer \$100,000 from the Stabilization Fund and transfer \$12,886.27 unexpended from the appropriation voted under Article 6 of the Special Town Meeting of 1967 and authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow \$6,382,113.73 under Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948, as amended, provided that the total authorized borrowing shall be reduced by any matching stabilization fund payment, and authorize the School Building Needs Committee to take all action necessary to carry out the project; and I further move, pursuant to Chapter 111, Section I of the Town By-Laws, that the

meeting adjourn to June 29, 1970 to Winthrop School for the purpose of balloting from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. on the previous motion. Seconded.

Mr. Damon, Jr. spoke on his motion and stated that when the school population reaches 1000 at the high school, it will be expanded to accommodate an additional 800 pupils, and urged the voters to vote in favor of the new high school on next Monday.

Mr. Daniel B. Lunt, Chairman of the Finance Committee, stated that the Finance Committee is unanimously in favor of this motion.

Mr. George Geanakos, Chairman of the School Committee, stated that they are unanimously in favor of this motion and urged to vote for this motion.

Mr. Paul Gahm, a member of the Finance Committee, and also the School Building Needs Committee, spoke on the motion and stated that if the school was built now, it would be ready for occupancy in September 1973.

A hand count taken showed that 338 voted in favor; 2 in opposition. Motion to have the balloting day on June 29, 1970 carried.

Moved by Mr. John Bialek that we adjourn until next Monday, June 29, 1970 for balloting. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Meeting adjourned at 8:29 p.m.

ATTEST:

Anthony A. Murawski
Town Clerk

**SPECIAL BALLOTING DAY
WINTHROP SCHOOL, CENTRAL STREET
June 29, 1970**

The polls opened at 10:00 A.M.

Ballots were prepared by the Moderator and the Town Clerk.

All the election workers were sworn in by the Town Clerk.

The first voter was Russell Johnson of Argilla Road and the last voter was Bonnie Maguire of Peabody Street.

The polls closed at 8:00 P.M. Total votes cast was 2,156.

Ballots were sorted and counted, and the results as follows were announced:

Yes	1,116
No	1,037
Blanks	<u>3</u>
	2,156 TOTAL

Since a 2/3 vote or 1,438 were needed, the motion lost.

Moved by Mr. Charles Rose that the meeting be dissolved. Seconded.

Unanimous voice vote. Meeting dissolved at 9:30 p.m.

ATTEST:

Anthony A. Murawski
Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL

July 13, 1970

Essex ss.

To the Constable of the Town of Ipswich in said County

GREETINGS

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify the Inhabitants of the Town of Ipswich, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL, in said IPSWICH on

MONDAY, THE THIRTEENTH DAY

OF JULY, 1970

at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Moderator Harry Munro called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. and stated that 415 voters were present; 292 needed for a quorum. Final Count showed 854 voters at the meeting.

Moderator Munro called the meeting to order.

The Moderator stated that there were guests who would like to attend the meeting as spectators. There were no objections.

Moderator led the meeting in the Salute to the Colors.

Reverend Douglas C. Smith gave the Invocation.

Mr. Rose moved that the Town Clerk read the opening and closing paragraphs of the Warrant and the Constable's Return.

The following named persons were appointed tellers: Messrs. Leo Geoffrion, R. B. Cole, Jr., Stanley Eustace, John S. Player, James L. Tedford, Jr., John Ames and Peter Owsiak.

The Moderator announced that at this meeting he would not allow any reconsiderations on motions or recounts on votes.

Article 1. to see if the Town will vote to amend the Protective Zoning By-Law of the Town of Ipswich, dated September 1957, as amended to date, or to take any other action with respect thereto, by rescinding any and all references to Planned Community Development.

Moved by Mr. William Zachmann that the Town vote to amend the Protective Zoning By-law of the Town of Ipswich, Mass. dated September 1957, as amended by Article 6, and Section 11 of Article 4, as passed by the Special Town Meeting June 30, 1969, and by Article 34 as passed by the Annual Town Meeting held March 2, 1970.

1. To amend Index V. Permitted uses by striking out Section D. Planned Community Development (P.C.D.) District.

2. To amend Section III Definitions: by striking out Garden Apartment House - an apartment house

having not more than two (2) floors of living area for not more than four (4) families, all families being served by one principal outside entrance door.

3. To amend Section III Definitions: by striking out Town House - a row of attached single family dwelling units, contained within one (1) building and separated by common or party walls.

4. To amend Section IV Zoning Districts by changing the word and numbers "twelve (12)" to "eleven (11)" in the first sentence thereof, so that same sentence will read as follows: "The Town of Ipswich is hereby divided into districts of eleven (11) types to be known as follows:" and by striking out at the end of the list thereon the district type known as 12. Planned Community Development (P.C.D.) Districts.

5. To amend Section IV Zoning Districts by striking out in its entirety Paragraph D. Planned Community Development (P.C.D.) District.

6. To amend Section VI - Lot and Building Requirements, by striking out Subparagraph 2, under Paragraph I Height.

7. To amend Section VIII - Off Street Parking and Loading Requirements by striking out the following sentence: "11. In Planned Community Development Districts such off street parking spaces shall accommodate at least 1.75 automobiles on each dwelling unit, and at least 1.00 automobiles for each 150 sq. feet of permitted gross floor area of business uses.

8. To amend Section IX Administration, A. Enforcement, by striking out the last two paragraphs so that A. Enforcement will then read as follows:

This by-law shall be enforced by the enforcing officer who shall be the Board of Selectmen or their delegate who shall grant no permit for the construction, alteration, relocation, occupancy or use of any building, structure or premises in violation of any provision of this by-law.

Whenever any permit or license is refused because of some provision of the by-law, the reason therefore shall be clearly stated in writing. The enforcing officer may institute appropriate legal proceedings to enforce the provisions of this by-law or to restrain by injunction any violation thereof, or both, and shall do all further acts, revoke the permit for occupancy, institute and take any and all such action as may be necessary to enforce the provisions of this by-law.

No building hereafter erected altered or relocated shall be used and no change shall be made of the use of any building or any parcel of land, except for the use of land for agriculture, horticulture, or floriculture, unless an occupancy permit signed by the enforcing officer had been granted to the owner or occupant of such land or building. Such permit shall not be granted unless the proposed use of the land or building and all accessory uses comply in all respects with this by-law, and no use shall be made of such land or building except the use or uses authorized by such occupancy permit.

9. To amend the Table of Lot and Building Requirements (Town of Ipswich Zoning By-Law) - by striking out in the table the letters PCD under the heading District, and striking out "175 acres (D)" under the heading Minimum Yd. Requirements (Ft), and further by striking out in said above Table, Paragraphs D, 1, 2, 3, 4.

Seconded.

Mr. John Prosser, chairman of the Ipswich Planning Board, stated that said board unanimously recommends DISAPPROVAL of this article and read the following opinion of the town counsel:

July 8, 1970

Mr. John P. Prosser
Planning Board
Town of Ipswich
Massachusetts

Re: Effect of Proposed Zoning Change on PCD District

Dear Mr. Prosser:

This is in reply to your letter of July 7 inquiring as to whether or not the proposed zoning would in any way affect the rights of the developer of the present PCD District to proceed under the present zoning by-law.

Future zoning by-law changes will affect the land in question except as expressly provided by Massachusetts General Laws, chapter 40A, section 7A. On the basis of that section, dealing with the effect on plans submitted under the subdivision control law by amendments to the zoning by-law, after the preliminary plan of June 2, 1970 has been submitted to your Board and notice of such submission given to the Town Clerk and if the definitive plan evolved therefrom is submitted to your Board within seven months from the date on which the preliminary plan was submitted, the development in question will be governed by the provisions of zoning by-law as it is presently constituted. If the definitive plan is approved by your Board, the provisions of the present zoning by-law will govern the land use for a period of seven years from the date of your approval notwithstanding any subsequent provision of law. On the other hand disapproval of a definitive plan will not serve to terminate any rights which shall have accrued to the developer under the present by-law until conclusion of any litigation incident to disapproval of the definitive plan.

Very truly yours,

S/ F. Dale Vincent

FDV:b

Mr. Daniel B. Lunt, chairman of the finance committee, stated that said committee unanimously recommends DISAPPROVAL of this article.

The Board of Selectmen recorded its vote as a 3 to 2 AGAINST this article.

Attorney Raymond Sullivan spoke against the motion and stated that he was representing the Ipswich Country Club and Fairways.

Mrs. Betty Siegal, spokesman for the League of Woman Voters, asked for a "No" vote on Article 1.

Mr. Thomas Emery spoke in favor of the motion.

Motion to move question. Seconded. Motion carried by an unanimous voice vote.

Hand Count was taken on motion and showed that 566 voted in favor; 294 opposed. Motion required a 2/3 affirmative vote; that being 574. Motion lost.

Mrs. Mariet Moffat challenged the vote.

Mr. Cornelius Cleary requested that a recount be allowed, using a division of the house as the method of counting votes.

Moderator Munro stated that under the law of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, he is responsible for the conduct of the meeting. He stated that he had made his decision not to allow reconsiderations nor recounts, and he will uphold this decision.

Article 2. to see if the Town will vote to amend the "Zoning District Map of the Town of Ipswich, Mass." dated September 1957 as amended to date, or to take any other action with respect thereto, by changing from Planned Community Development District (PCD) to Rural Residential and Agricultural District (RRA) certain premises now or formerly owned in common by Ipswich Fairways, Inc. and Country Club of Ipswich, Inc. comprising of approximately 340 acres of land.

Moved by Mr. Arthur Ross that the Town vote to amend the zoning district map of the Town of Ipswich, Massachusetts, dated September, 1957 as amended, and on file in the Town Clerk's office, by changing from Planned Community Development District (PCD) to Rural Residential and Agricultural District (RRA) that area of the Town of Ipswich laying northerly of Linebrook Road, said area being bounded and defined as follows:

Beginning at a point on the Ipswich-Rowley town line, approximately 500 feet east of Newburyport Turnpike; thence easterly along the town boundary line, 3,407 feet plus or minus; thence generally southerly, easterly, southerly, easterly, southerly, westerly and southerly along an irregular line which line is also the boundary of the properties, now or formerly of Palmer S. Perley, et al. Wilbert A. Bishop, Edward J. Smolenski, Albert W. Chapman, et al, and Edward J. Smolenski, a total distance of 6,487 feet more or less, thence westerly 2,558 feet more or less, along the property now or formerly of Antonia Galicki et al - thence northwesterly 1,432 feet more or less along the property now or formerly of Tina Iori et al; thence westerly 997 feet more or less to the rear of property lines fronting on Edge Street, so called; thence generally northerly and easterly along land formerly of Whitten Bros., Inc. now or formerly of Campanelli, Inc.; thence generally westerly along the rear of lot lines 235, 234, 233, 232, 231, 230, 229, 227, and 228 and side lot line of lot 25 as shown on a plan entitled "Plan of Willowdale Acres, Single Residence Development, Ipswich, Mass. by Raymond C. Pressey, Engrs., dated October 29, 1956" and recorded in Essex South District Registry of Deeds; thence northerly 444 feet, more or less, westerly 637 feet, more or less, and northerly 1580 feet, more or less,

along the properties now or formerly of Mildred C. Crocker, to the point of beginning.

Seconded.

Mr. John Prosser, chairman of the Planning Board, stated that the Planning Board unanimously recommends a "NO" vote on this article.

Mr. Daniel B. Lunt, chairman of the finance committee, stated that the finance committee is unanimously OPPOSED to this article.

The Board of Selectmen stated that they were OPPOSED to this article by a 3-2 vote.

Mr. Cornelius Cleary, not satisfied with procedure for recording votes, again requested a divided assembly, an appeal to the chair and an appeal to the assembly. Moderator Munro ~~up held~~ his original decision.

Hand vote taken on Article II indicated that 550 voted in the affirmative; 299 in the negative; 566 affirmative votes needed for passage; motion defeated.

Article 3. to see if the Town will vote to amend the Protective Zoning By-Law of the Town of Ipswich dated September 1957 as amended to date, or to take any other action with respect thereto, by providing that certain tracts of land in the Town of Ipswich containing at least 175 contiguous acres be classified as Cluster Zone Districts in those areas zoned Rural Residential Agricultural (RRA). Provided, however, that all building units are single dwelling units and that their total number in any such district does not exceed the total number otherwise permitted in a RRA District.

Moved by Mr. Cornelius Cleary that the town vote to amend the Protective Zoning By-Law of the Town of Ipswich, Mass. dated September 1957, as amended, or to take any other action with respect thereto, as follows:

The Planning Board may approve according to the Subdivision Control procedures authorized in Section 81K and 81GG of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, a subdivision plan in any RRA District for a tract of 175 acres or more in which some of the individual lots do not conform specifically to the lot, frontage, setback, or yard requirements as set forth in other sections of the Protective Zoning By-law, provided that:

1. The total area of all lots in such proposed subdivision is not less than the product of the total number of lots times the minimum lot size for the RRA district in which the subdivision is located, and in no case shall an individual lot be less than one acre.
2. The aggregate street frontage of lots in such proposed subdivision, counting only one frontage for corner lots, is not less than one-half the product of

the number of lot times the minimum frontage requirements for the RRA district in which the subdivision is located and the minimum width of any individual lot shall be 100 feet measured either at the street or at the setback line.

3. The proposed setback lines are clearly shown on the proposed subdivision plan and are deemed by the board to be adequate under the specific conditions which pertain to the property in question.
4. The Planning Board finds that the proposed disposition of lots and buildings, under the particular circumstances involved, will make more efficient the provision by the Town, of health, safety, protective, and other services without detracting from the character of the neighborhood.

Said subdivision plan, when approved and recorded, shall be considered a supplementary part of this Zoning By-law, and thereafter no land therein shall be sold and no lot line shall be changed in such way as to increase the extent of the non-conformity with the general provision of this by-law.

Seconded.

Mr. John Prosser, chairman of the Planning Board, stated that the Planning Board unanimously recommends DISAPPROVAL of this article.

Mr. Daniel B. Lunt, chairman of the finance committee, stated that the finance committee unanimously recommends that this article be DISAPPROVED and that cluster zoning be studied in more detail prior to it being presented to town meeting.

The Board of Selectmen also registered its unanimous disapproval of this article, based on its consensus that it requires much more study.

Mrs. Harris Smith, Upper River Road, spoke in favor of the article.

Mr. Kenneth McMullen, Argilla Road, spoke against the article.

Hand Count on motion indicated that 386 voted in favor; 356, opposed; 496 affirmative votes required for passage; motion defeated.

Moved that the meeting be adjourned. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Meeting adjourned at 9 p.m.

ATTEST:

Anthony A. Murawski
Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL
September 14, 1970

ESSEX, ss.

To the Constable of the Town of Ipswich in said County
GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify the Inhabitants of the Town of Ipswich, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL, in said Ipswich on

MONDAY, THE FOURTEENTH DAY
OF SEPTEMBER 1970

at 8:00 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Moderator Harry Munro called the meeting to order at 8 p.m. and stated that 392 voters were present; 307 needed for a quorum. Final count showed 543 voters present.

The Moderator stated that if there were no objections, persons requesting to attend the meeting as spectators, would be allowed into the meeting hall and seated as a group at the front of the assembly. No objections recorded. Visitors permitted as spectators.

Moderator led the meeting in the Salute to the Colors.

Reverend David Shire, minister of the 1st and South Congregational Church gave the Invocation.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that the town clerk read the opening and closing paragraphs of the Warrant and the Constable's Return. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Mr. Anthony Murawski, town clerk, read the opening and closing paragraphs of the Warrant and the Constable's Return.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for constructing sewers, sewerage systems and sewage treatment and disposal facilities to the present sewage treatment and disposal facilities and the sewerage system; and to determine how the money shall be raised by transfer of any available funds or by borrowing or otherwise; and to take any action relative thereto, including reversion of bond authorizations previously made for the same project.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that the town vote by ballot at an adjourned session of this meeting to be held on the 21st day of September from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Winthrop School on the following question:

"Shall the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,110,000 for the construction of sewers, sewerage systems and sewage treatment and disposal facilities; that to meet this appropriation the sum of \$20,000 be transferred from Sewer Receipts Reserve, and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to issue \$3,090,000 bonds or notes of the Town under Chapter 44, section 8 (15) of the General Laws as amended; and the Town Manager with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to carry out said project and to contract for and expend State and Federal construction grants for the project, providing that such State and Federal grants of not less than

80% of the eligible costs of the project are available from such grants and providing that the total authorized borrowing shall be reduced by the amount of any State or Federal Construction grants, and further, that bond authorizations under Article 16, Annual Town Meeting, March 1969 be hereby rescinded?"

Seconded.

Mr. Bialek spoke on the motion.

Recorded as unanimously in favor of this article were the Finance Committee, Board of Selectmen and the Planning Board.

Selectman Rose spoke in favor of the motion.

Motion carried by an unanimous voice vote and so declared by the Moderator.

Article 2. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to construct, and originally equip and furnish a new high school, and to determine whether such appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise or take any other action with respect thereto.

Moved by Mr. Edwin Damon, Jr. that the town vote by ballot at an adjourned session of this meeting to be held on the 21st day of September 1970 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. at Winthrop School on the following question:

"Shall the town raise and appropriate \$6,495,000 to construct and originally equip and furnish a high school including a sewage treatment plant which is to be used solely for the high school, and, to raise this appropriation shall the town transfer \$100,000.00 from the stabilization fund and transfer \$12,886.27 remaining from the appropriation voted under Article 6 of the Special Town Meeting of 1967 and authorize the treasurer with the approval of the selectmen to borrow \$6,382,113.73 under Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as amended, provided that the total authorized borrowing shall be reduced by any matching stabilization fund payment, and authorize the School Building Needs Committee to take all action necessary to carry out the project?"

Seconded.

Mr. Damon, Jr. spoke on his motion.

Recording themselves as unanimously supporting this article were the Finance Committee, Board of Selectmen and the School Committee.

Moderator stated that the passage of this motion required a 2/3 vote.

The following tellers were appointed by the Moderator: Messrs. Edmund Traverso, R. B. Cole, Alan E. MacMillan, Joseph Phiffat and Arthur Moon.

Hand Count on Article 2 showed 476 voting in the affirmative; 26 in the negative. Moderator declared Article 2 carried and goes on the ballot to be voted on September 21, 1970.

Article 3. To see if the Town will amend the By-Law passed by Article 23 of the Annual Town Meeting held on March 4, 1963, and amended by the Town Meeting of May 2, 1966, or take any other action thereto, by adding the following sentence at the end of the second paragraph of Paragraph B, thereof:

"Notwithstanding the foregoing, an appropriation relating to amounts required to satisfy bargaining

agreements pursuant to Chapter 149 of the General Laws may be passed by a majority vote of the Town Meeting."

Moved by Mr. Hardy that the Town amend the By-law passed by Article 23 of the Annual Town Meeting held on March 4, 1963, and amended by the Town Meeting of May 2, 1966, or take any other action thereto, by adding the following sentence at the end of the second paragraph of the Paragraph B, thereof:

"Notwithstanding the foregoing, an appropriation relating to amounts required to satisfy bargaining agreements pursuant to Chapter 149 of the General Laws may be passed by a majority vote of the Town Meeting."

Seconded.

Mr. Hardy spoke on his motion.

Mr. Lunt, chairman of the finance committee, recommended against the article and spoke against the motion.

Mr. Navarro spoke on the motion.

Mr. William Markos of the finance committee spoke on the motion and urged the voters to reject the motion.

Fireman Romeo Blacquiere spoke on the motion.

Mr. Leonard Preston spoke on the article.

Chairman of the Board of Selectmen John S. Bialek spoke on the motion.

A hand count indicated 189 voting in favor; 256 opposed. A majority vote was required. Article lost.

Article 4. To see what action the town will take with respect to the payment to Patrolman Clifton Wentworth for the salary he claims to be due him.

Moved by Mr. Navarro that the town appropriate the sum of \$2,586.60 for the payment to Patrolman Clifton Wentworth for salary claimed to be due to him under Chapter 41, section 111F, of the General Laws, as amended, for the months of June, July, August and September 1970, and that this sum be transferred from free cash of the surplus revenue to the police department, and that the Town Manager be authorized and directed to make this payment for the months of June, July and August 1970 immediately, and for the month of September 1970 when authorized by the Board of Selectmen to Patrolman Clifton Wentworth.

Mr. Daniel B. Lunt and Mr. David Scudder of the Finance Committee spoke against the article.

Town Counsel Dale Vincent spoke and read the general statute pertaining to police and fire regulations. Mr. George Geanakas recommended the article. A question by Mr. Thomas Emery as to whether a legal obligation existed between the officer and the former town manager was answered in the negative by town counsel.

Moderator declared the passage of this article required a 2/3 vote.

Both Selectmen Navarro and Bialek again urged support of this article.

Hand Count indicated 309 voting in the affirmative; 111, opposed. Motion carried.

Moved by Mr. Bialek that the meeting be adjourned until Monday, 21 September 1970 at 10 a.m. at the Winthrop School. Seconded.

Meeting adjourned.

BALLOTING DAY WINTHROP SCHOOL POLLS OPENED AT 10 A.M.

A special balloting day was held on Monday, September 21, 1970. The results of the balloting is as follows:

Article 1 - A 2/3 vote or 1938 affirmative votes are needed for passage.

Yes	1742
No	1124
Blanks	39
Total	2905 Article Lost

Article 2 - A 2/3 vote or 1938 affirmative votes are needed for passage.

Yes	1273
No	1614
Blanks	18
Total	2905 Article Lost

A motion to dissolve the meeting was made. The meeting dissolved at 9:40 p.m. and so declared by the Moderator.

ATTEST:

Anthony A. Murawski
Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL October 26, 1970

Essex, ss.

To the Constable of the Town of Ipswich in said County
GREETINGS;

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify the Inhabitants of the Town of Ipswich, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the IPSWICH HIGH SCHOOL, in said Ipswich on

MONDAY, THE TWENTY-SIXTH DAY OF OCTOBER
at 7:30 in the evening, then and there to act on the following article, viz:

Moderator Harry Munro called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. and stated that we have approximately 85 voters present and that 311 were needed for a

quorum. He asked the pleasure of the meeting.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to approve the \$14,300,000.00 indebtedness authorized by the Regional District School Committee of the Whittier Regional Vocational Technical School Committee on October 1, 1970, for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing a regional vocational technical high school.

Mr. Robert Weatherall spoke on the article and moved that we indefinitely postpone this meeting due to the lack of a quorum. Seconded. Unanimous voice vote.

Meeting adjourned at 7:34 p.m.

Final Count showed that 147 voters attended the meeting.

ATTEST:

Anthony A. Murawski
Town Clerk

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

John S. Bialek, Chairman
 Joseph A. Navarro
 James D. Smyth
 Charles L. Rose
 Elizabeth S. Cole



The year 1970 began auspiciously with the usual selectmen's activities, supplemented with budget reviews and hearings. The pace accelerated rapidly after the annual town meeting during which time Mrs. Elizabeth Cole was elected the town's first woman selectman.

In May, Town Manager John Stinson resigned to accept another position and his place was filled with the appointment of Town Counsel Terrance Perkins as temporary Town Manager.

As a follow-up of the 1969 Spring "Team Up - Clean Up" campaign another successful drive under the very capable direction of the Ipswich Girl Scouts and their adult advisors was completed. The Board is most grateful for their wonderful cooperation.

With a proposal by M.E.P.P. to construct a nuclear power generating station in Ipswich, the Board of Selectmen realizing the need for information as to the safety of such an operation, financial arrangements with the Town, rise in water temperature at the outlet of the cooling system, and the ecological performances of the plant appointed a nine member Nuclear Power Plant Advisory Committee to study the aforementioned and any other areas they feel would be necessary to insure that the Town's interest would best be served. The Committee which is most talented and represents a good cross section of the town will, after their study is completed, submit a report to the Board. It is anticipated that several hearings will be held to apprise the townspeople of the information gathered prior to bringing the issue to a vote.

This was the year of the Town Meeting and counting the balloting sessions a total of eleven such events took place. The primary issues that divided the Town were: a new four year high school, a secondary sewer treatment plant and the zoning by-law creating a PCD district.

Following a directive from the Massachusetts Water Pollution Control Commission indicating that the Town of Ipswich was polluting the Ipswich River, the Board placed an article in the Annual Town Meeting Warrant asking for the construction of a secondary treatment

plant (defeated) and again in May at a special Town Meeting where it met defeat a second time.

Following the second refusal of the townspeople to go along, the Board of Selectmen was summoned to an adjudicatory hearing before the Massachusetts Water Pollution Control Commission. The result of the hearing brought forth an order for the Town to develop detail plans commencing in October 1970 and to start construction in March 1971. In their desire to prevent any court action, the Board again called a special town meeting in September bringing the construction of the secondary treatment plant before the townspeople for a third time. The article, by a very small margin, was defeated again and this rejection has prompted the Water Pollution Control Commission to take court action against the Town. In addition the Commission has informed the Town that permits for all future sewer extensions will be denied until such time the Town approves such construction. The Board in an endeavor to find a solution to this impasse will once again insert an article for the construction of a secondary sewer treatment plant in the 1971 Annual Town Meeting.

In October, the Board on a split vote appointed Mr. Anton Harwig of Elmhurst, Illinois to the position of Town Manager. He declined the appointment, and two weeks later the Board appointed Mr. Richard Conti of Elmsford, New York who accepted the position after being made fully aware of a petition being circulated for the revocation of the Town Manager Charter. He, officially, started on the job November 3, 1970.

The Board, noting a need for water in the near future, appointed a seven-man board known as the Water Resources Study Committee to study our water resources and come up with recommendations for additional water supply and impoundment areas.

The Board of Selectmen expresses its appreciation to the Town Managers (3), Department Heads, Town Employees, Committees and interested townspeople for their cooperation and assistance during the past year.



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

FIRST ROW (L-R)	Term Expires	SECOND ROW (L-R)	Term Expires
Mrs. M. L. Scudder	1972	Mr. Ray Broekel	1973
Mr. George Geanakos, Chairman	1971	Mr. James F. Collins	1971
Mr. Robert Weatherall	1972	Mr. Peter A. Zervas	1972
		Mr. Walter J. Pojasek	1973

Meetings of the School Committee are held on the first and third Thursdays of the month at the office of the Superintendent of Schools in the Tyler Building, 2 Central Street, Ipswich, Massachusetts at 8:00 o'clock.



John H. Stella
 Superintendent of Schools
 Administration Office 2 Central Street
 Office Hours - 8:00 - 4:00 and by appointment

Student enrollment pressures continue to be our most serious problem. The school plant has an optimum capacity of 2475 spaces and on October 1, 1970 our enrollment was 2774. It was necessary to continue utilizing Boone Hall for 111 Kindergarten pupils and Memorial Building for 52 students. In September 1970, after prolonged negotiations, the School Department leased two classrooms from Saint Stanislaus church authorities and 37 Grade I pupils are placed in this building. The State Safety Inspector approved spaces for not more than 40 children in Saint Stanislaus.

These three non-school facilities are not educationally desirable and in some respects are sub-standard.

Additional spaces at the Elementary level are needed for September 1971 and the Superintendent of Schools has already initiated inquiries to find these spaces.

Our high school continues to be overcrowded and next September we estimate well over 800 students which is exceeding optimum capacity. This in-

crease in enrollment at this level can not help but have a debilitating effect upon the students and teachers.

Our October 1, 1970 enrollment continues to show an increase over the previous year. We estimate that by October 1, 1971 our total enrollment K-12 will be approximately 2900 students! Our October 1, 1968 enrollment was 2531 students.

Two school bond issues were defeated in 1970, one on June 29th, the other on September 24th. Both votes failed to achieve the necessary two-thirds majority, and the new proposed four year high school failed.

I extend to all those dedicated persons who expended their efforts in promoting this project my sincere appreciation.

The School Building Needs Committee continues its deliberations and studies to find a solution to our school housing crisis — one that is educationally feasible and economically acceptable to the Town.

I extend to these dedicated gentlemen my sincere appreciation for their interest and dedication to this awesome problem.

The town ratified the action of the Whittier Regional School Committee and initial steps have been taken to build a vocational and technical high school. A tentative operational date is scheduled for September 1972. Ipswich is eligible to place approximately 150 students in this much-needed school.

Research and development are necessary functions of a school system. Past policy has encouraged curriculum revisions to revitalize subject areas, refine existing programs and support innovative practices. The K-12 Social Studies curriculum is being revised. A Family and Social Life Education Workshop was held during this summer. This curriculum includes Drug, Smoking, Alcohol and Sex Education. The Committee has revised the first curriculum and the Administration hopes that it will be acceptable to the School Committee and the Townspeople.

During the Spring of 1970 a Drug, Smoking and Alcohol education unit was implemented at the Junior High School for all Grade 7, 8 students. The main thrust of the program was informational. In view of the complexities of these problems, we have made every effort in a quiet and rational manner to bring the necessary information to our students.

During the past year Ipswich was fortunate in receiving many teaching applications from all over the country. We had no difficulty in securing highly qualified personnel to fill the vacancies. It appears that shortages in the teaching profession, at least for this area, do not exist.

The cost of education during these times of Teacher Negotiations, Inflationary periods in our economy poses a very serious problem for all of us, specifically the property taxpayer. The Administration is aware of the tremendous responsibility it has for providing quality education for all the students in our schools and also aware of the fiscal stresses facing our community. More State and Federal aid is needed to help support local education in order to relieve the already burdened home-owner.

A study committee has been formed to study alternatives to "double-sessions" at the high school level. Mrs. Antonia McManaway is chairman and the members comprise teachers, school committee representatives and interested citizens. A report should be forthcoming early in 1971.

The reports from the principals of the schools and the supervisors list the accomplishments of the past year and the progress being made in the schools.

My sincere appreciation is extended to the School Committee for their untiring devotion and dedication to meeting the educational needs of our youth.

I extend to the administrators, teachers, custodians, secretaries, cafeteria workers, and all others my sincere appreciation for their excellent cooperation. Finally I extend to the Board of Selectmen, Town Manager, Police, Highway, Fire Departments and other town officials my sincere appreciation for their excellent cooperation with the schools.



Joseph R. Rogers

Enrollment	Boys	Girls	Total
Grade 9	106	119	225
Grade 10	94	88	182
Grade 11	87	108	195
Grade 12	91	80	171
			773

In 1963 when the existing building was opened our student population was 581. In seven years we have grown by 192 pupils.

I. Teaching Personnel

During the academic year 1969-70 we experienced a large turnover in our professional staff — the reasons were many. More and more we have found teaching to be a transient profession. However, we should experience fewer and fewer moves due to the surplus of teachers and also because of recent unemployment trends. We are now in an excellent position to pick and choose among highly qualified people from the

Ph.D. level to the Bachelor's level. We have reached a point where additional staff cannot be hired to implement new programs due to lack of space.

II. Curriculum

A. New Programs

In spite of limited space we were able to revise existing courses in Geography, Anthropology, English, Home Economics and Biology. The courses in Biology, Patterns and Processes, Geography and Anthropology are courses which have been developed at the national level by colleges and universities. These are primarily lab courses with pupil seminars and manipulative skills involved. They are not book oriented but rather pupil involvement in actual experiences is the core. These courses have derived impetus from innovative science programs developed after Sputnik. The employment of an additional Home Economics teacher enlarged this program which has been sadly lacking. Now that there are two teachers we are able to offer an expanded program to boys and girls in food preparation, fabrics, home design, sewing and child care. Art and Music have received great impetus due to the fact that we now have a full time Art and Music teacher. However, these programs will continue to suffer because of inadequate facilities. Both rooms are being shared with classes, other than Art and Music; a definite disadvantage to any future expansion of a sadly needed area.

The concept of an open campus is in the throes of research and discussion. In essence, this idea in its rudimentary form is that pupils are required to be in school only during class time. There are several modifications of this simple idea. Hopefully, some form of open campus will be adopted along with an extended school day to care for additional pupils. The combination of a longer day and open campus will provide extra space and facilities. This should be a stop-gap measure until new housing is provided.

Health education is another area in which we are sadly lacking. Drugs, alcohol, tobacco and sex education must become an integral part of our teaching responsibilities. We must also become involved in exploring other pupil needs concerning human and spiritual values.

A very important part of the full utilization of our high school educational facility is our summer and evening school programs. We have expanded the summer school program to include physical education and athletics. The gym, with instructors, was open 7 days a week — plus our fields were used in organized play especially in the evenings, caring for not only school aged youths but post high school adults. This program must be expanded to meet the full time needs of all — young and old, male and female. We must also expand our adult education program during the regular school year. Additional courses added are gradually meeting the needs of our adult community. The academic summer school program is mostly remedial in English, Mathematics, History, Reading and French. Music and Driver Education are supplemental. Hopefully, we can expand the music offering and add an Art program during the summer of 1971.

III. Pupil Personnel

As noted in the enrollment our numbers continue to grow. We are graduating 171 seniors in 1971 and

picking up 216 freshmen. Future enrollments at the junior high and elementary schools indicate 200 + classes. Radical changes have been taking place in attitudes of pupils. They are more vocal, organized, and far less willing to accept the status quo. They are asking for changes in all facets of school life, dress, curriculum, personal relationships and pupil welfare. The past school year was undoubtedly the most revolutionary in educational history. From the university to the secondary schools across the nation, ferment was evidenced — Ipswich notwithstanding. Teach-ins, moratoria, student demands, questioning of the school's role in our society, marches, vigils seemed to have been the order of each day. Ipswich was not devoid of any of the forementioned. The school, as the country, became polarized over the Kent State incident, the Vietnam War, involvement in Cambodia, peace vigils.

The drug scene was also with us in Ipswich. We are doing very little in educating our youth in drugs and their effect. We are doing much in counseling and aiding pupils with drug problems. We are working with parents, local physicians, clergy and the local law enforcement agency.

Unfortunately, no foreign student was in attendance at the high school. The local chapter of American Field Service was unable to find a home to house a student. However, we had one of our students, Jane Cowles, studying in South America. Hopefully, we will have better results in finding placement next year.

While opinions may vary, the one constant in the school in addition to our faculty which kept the school as somewhat of a unified group, was athletics. The sports program, coupled with an unusually successful season, pulled together most of the faculty and pupil segments.

The breakdown of the graduating Class of 1970 is as follows:

4 year college	34%
2 year college	15%
Nursing schools	2%
Other educational institutions	14%
Military, Marriage, Work, other	35%

IV. Buildings and Grounds

Turf was added to the football field as was regular feeding and weeding to all grassed areas. An analysis of the varsity field was made by the University Extension service of University of Massachusetts. We are currently engaged in following their recommendation of feeding, aerating and adding sand to provide drainage.

Additional bleachers and a fence to enclose the football field are necessary. The bleachers on the visitors side are antiquated and hazardous. They should be replaced immediately lest we have an accident.

Regular maintenance during the day and at vacation intervals is provided.

During the summer extended work is done on all equipment and on the building proper. No major projects were undertaken this year.



John Huttunen, Jr.

ORGANIZATION:

The Junior High School enrollment figures decreased from four hundred and sixty two in 1969 to four hundred and forty as of October 1, 1970.

During the present school year which commenced in September of 1970, we have instituted a modular time schedule. Under this plan the school day is broken into nine time blocks, five of which are forty-six minutes in length and four of which are twenty-nine minutes in length. This plan enables us to couple a forty-six minutes and a twenty-nine minute time block together for science labs, physical education, home economics, wood shop, etc. In addition, the smaller time blocks are being utilized for elective courses and lunch periods. This schedule is working well for it enables the science teachers to carry out meaningful laboratory experiences with the students and provides ample time to carry out a full lesson in the specialty areas such as shop and home economics.

CURRICULUM:

In addition to a well balanced program which includes English, mathematics, science and social studies the students this year have an opportunity to choose electives for enrichment or remedial work. These electives are generally held during the shorter time modules. A partial list of electives a student can take is as follows: remedial math, investments, current events, modern poetry, drama photography, oceanography, drafting, cooking for boys, jewelry making,

chorus, band, and guitar. There has been a great deal of interest in these courses and the main problem has been that many students cannot enroll in a particular elective due to schedule problems. Where he has a study the teacher offering the elective may be scheduled in one of his regular teaching assignments or when the teacher is free to offer the elective the student may be in a regularly scheduled class. However, all students can take at least two electives even if they are not his top two choices.

With the acquisition of four study carrels which are located in our library, an opportunity is provided for individualized study and enrichment. These study carrels are equipped with tape recorders, film strip projectors and slide viewers. Happily, we can report that students are continually using the equipment to listen to records, view slides and film strips. Most of the audio visual materials available serve to reinforce material presented in the classroom. These carrels are used to such a great degree that we plan to add additional carrels and continue purchasing more filmstrips, slides, tapes and records.

During this past summer another science workshop was held to develop and improve the science curriculum. Emphasis was placed on developing meaningful laboratory experiences for the pupils which would get them involved with the inductive and discovery approach to learning.

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS:

This year most of the work carried out was involved with improving the storage spaces in our science and art rooms and with improving the electrical services by adding receptacles, lights, etc. New science tables were purchased for one classroom and a continued program of replacing the old cafeteria tables has been carried on.

CONCLUSION:

Again, I would like to thank the superintendent, school committee, and parents for their continued support. The staff at the Junior High School will continue to work for the improvement of the educational program at the Junior High School level.



The education of our children requires the greatest amount of care, perseverance, and adequate facilities. The above first grade class in St. Stanislaus School is busy at work under the guidance of Miss Mahoney.



William E. Waitt, Jr.
Doyon St. & St. Stanislaus Schools

During 1970 a great deal of effort was expended in trying to solve the problems of housing our ever increasing elementary grades. The anticipated closing of St. Stanislaus School required additional spaces, and studies were made for the use of the Greek Community Center and the Notre Dame Reading Center. Rental of two rooms in the basement of the St. Stanislaus Church was accomplished to house two sections of Grade One in September.

Burley School was made ready for the new principal and office space was created from a portion of the teachers room and one of the coat rooms.

It was with a sense of deep regret that I relinquished the principalship of the Burley School in August. As the third principal in Burley's sixty-two year history, I have attempted to maintain its traditions and standards and will miss its school spirit, family groups and strong neighborhood ties.

ORGANIZATION During the first half of 1970, Burley and Doyon Schools housed the nearly 800 children in the 8 regular rooms of Burley, and the 22 rooms at Doyon.

Burley housed two sections of each grade 1 to 4, while Doyon housed 4 sections each of kindergarten and grades 5, 3 sections each of special education, grades 1,2,3 and 6. Grade 4 had only 2 sections.

In September, Doyon School continued as above with a record enrollment of 561 students. Rented rooms at St. Stanislaus Church housed 38 children in two classes of grade 1.

TEACHING PERSONNEL As of June 30, we lost by resignation 4 tenure teachers and 4 non-tenure teachers. Mrs. Anne Cowles and Miss Carol Davis, two of our more experienced teachers, moved on to higher professional challenges, and their services are missed.

Doyon and St. Stanislaus Schools are serviced by 22 classroom teachers, 3 special class teachers, and 8

specialists in the fields of primary Art, intermediate Art, French, Music, Physical Education, Guidance, Remedial Reading, and Perceptually Handicapped. We share with other schools the services of the librarian, nurse, the speech therapist, a male physical education teacher and a teacher of instrumental music.

A service staff of 2 full time and 2 part time custodians, 4 full time and one part time cafeteria workers, 4 lunchroom aides and a secretary supplement the professional staff.

This year a number of volunteers augment the paid staff and we are indeed grateful to our corps of 16 library volunteers, 8 women who conduct our biweekly sessions of the Junior Great Books Club, and some 20 Ipswich High School students who have volunteered to assist in a tutorial program in their after school time.

In addition, the Town and Country Garden Club conducts a Garden Therapy course with our special classes, with excellent results and participation.

The 44 professional staff members present an excellent balanced staff with mature professionals with long years of service combined with well prepared, effervescent novices. Average experience is 8.5 years. Sixteen teachers are on tenure, six third year teachers, six second year, and nine first year professionals. Ten members of the staff possess masters degrees and seven others are enrolled in masters degree programs.

We assisted local colleges in training 11 student teachers and one teacher aide, during the year.

CURRICULUM In the spring we were proud when word was received that our Special Education program had been selected by the Massachusetts Advisory Council on Education as an outstanding innovative program.

Work was continued in our Programmed Reading Series in grades 1-2 and 3, and our multibasal approach in grades 4-6 was broadened to include a wider variety of individualized high interest reading materials.

The Modern Math, the Roberts Linguistic Language, the Social Studies and the French programs were continued with minor changes.

Three staff members attended workshops in Newton to continue the elementary Science Study laboratory approach to the teaching of science in the intermediate grades.

Inservice workshops were held at the school in the Roberts program, individualizing instruction and in ecology during the year.

The annual Arbor Day tradition here at Doyon was continued with the planting of several shrubs and a Redwood tree. We are indebted to Mrs. Marie Ladd, the Ipswich Conservation Commission, Mr. Armand Michaud and the men of the Town Forestry Department, as well as Mrs. Donna Gillespie and the Ipswich Town and Country Garden Club for their continued interest and support of this unique project.



Samuel B. Levy

Winthrop & Memorial Building Schools

ORGANIZATION:

This year the Winthrop Elementary School comprises two buildings; the Memorial Building and the Winthrop School. The Memorial Building houses two sixth grades having an enrollment of 52 students as of December 1st. The Winthrop School houses four classes of grade three, four classes of grade four, five classes of grade five, and two classes of grade six. The total enrollment for the Winthrop School proper is 386. The combined total for both buildings is 438 students. Assignments at the Winthrop are basically heterogeneous with regrouping for instruction in Reading, Language Arts and Mathematics. The Winthrop School also houses a library of 5,500 volumes which include reference works as well as general reading material appropriate to the age and interest of the students.

For the older students there are student activity groups with staff members serving as advisors. These activities are in the areas of art, music, physical education. There is also a chess club and a student council representing all rooms.

The school day for all students is six hours and fifteen minutes. Hot lunches are served to approximately 315 students daily.



Henry S. Dembowski

Burley, Shatswell & Boone Hall Schools

CURRICULUM:

The Winthrop School provides a standard elementary school curriculum but not a rigid structure. Several teachers are using new and imaginative approaches to the curriculum which liven the student's interest in their education. The Open Court Reading Program was introduced this year in grade three. Specialists provide instruction in the areas of art, music and physical education for one instructional period per week. Follow-up lessons are then conducted by the classroom teacher. French instruction is given to all students in grades four to six for a total of 90 minutes per week. Instrumental music lessons are provided for interested students in grades four, five and six. A student band composed of advanced students is progressing nicely under the direction of Mr. Peter diCarlo. Remedial Reading and Speech Therapy is provided to those students requiring these services. The school library is supervised by a librarian shared with the Doyon School and a group of volunteer librarians who devote a great deal of time and energy to the smooth functioning of the library.

TEACHING PERSONNEL:

The Winthrop and Memorial Building School staff is made up of 17 classroom teachers, plus music, art and physical education specialists shared with other schools, one part-time physical education teacher, one full-time French teacher, a remedial reading specialist and a part-time speech therapist. The schools also have the services of a full-time guidance counselor, a part-time guidance specialist and a consulting psychologist. The Winthrop and Memorial Schools also participate in teacher-training programs at Gordon College and Salem State College.

Many staff members are engaged in post-graduate study at the master's level and higher at area colleges and universities. All staff members are involved in regularly scheduled workshops in such areas as ecology, individualized instruction and math. Several staff members were part of a curriculum design committee in the social studies. Five members of the staff are new to the Winthrop School, of these three are new to Ipswich.

A nurse, secretary, two full-time custodians, one part-time custodian, two lunchroom aides and five cafeteria workers complete the staff of the Winthrop and Memorial Building Schools.

ORGANIZATION

August of 1970 started a new school district encompassing the Burley School, the Shatswell School and the Boone Hall Kindergarten. Classes for kindergarten students are housed in Boone Hall at the Ascension Memorial Church and operate in a morning and an afternoon session. The mid-December enrollment was 113 students with approximately one half attending each session. Housed at the Shatswell School are 196 students covering a two year curriculum. The Burley houses two classes each of grades 1, 2, 3, and 4. This School had a mid December enrollment of 217 students.

The school day for all students at Burley and Shatswell is six hours and fifteen minutes. A hot lunch is available daily for those who wish it. The school day for the kindergarten pupils is two and one

half hours per session. Milk and crackers are served daily to all children.

MAINTENANCE

The Shatswell School has been and is the object of extensive maintenance work which included the complete interior painting of all classrooms and halls as well as the addition of book cases and storage corners in the classrooms. New venetian blinds were added in four classrooms.

The Burley School has had some electrical outlets added and one room has been shaded for slide and movie projection.

CURRICULUM

The Shatswell School is using the Open Court Reading Program which is an intensive phonics program that trains ear, eye, and hand. In the process of learning to read and blend the sounds and spelling of English, the children are exposed to classic children's prose and poetry. The remainder of the disciplines are exposed in a variety of media and presented at times when the children are highly motivated for the experiences. A very careful system of record keeping and continuum of skills for each child in each area is the core of the program. The school is a select blending of nongraded, multi-age, continuous progress, individualized instruction with a flavoring of the English Infant School philosophy.



Mary M. Evans

Meeting the challenge of change and striving toward quality education continue to be the main thrust of the elementary education staff. To provide better education to meet the needs of students at this point in time new approaches and programs are being developed at all levels. The Shatswell school nongraded program was partially redesigned making the classes multi-aged and open structured. As a result, we see developing a greater responsibility on the part of the student for his own learning. To aid teachers in individualizing instruction, a series of workshops under the leadership of the Network of Innovative Schools and the Massachusetts Department of Education was open to all teachers.

Innovative programs in science and math based on inquiry and discovery are leading away from rote learning and hopefully approaching a scientific method

The Burley School curriculum includes all the content normally found in comparable elementary school. Sullivan's Programmed Readers provide the core of the reading program. The fourth grades are using the Elementary Science Study materials, have French instruction, and instrumental music for interested students. New this year is the Great Book Program which brings children's classics to the classroom on a seminar basis for selected students. The math program in effect is that of Holt, Rhinehart and Winston.

TEACHING PERSONNEL

The Burley, Shatswell, and Boone Hall Schools employ 20 regular staff members, of which four are new to Ipswich, as well as 13 shared teachers in the areas of Music, Art, Physical Education, French, Guidance, Remedial Reading, Perceptually Handicapped, Instrumental Music, Speech Therapy and Emotionally Disturbed. Five student teachers from Boston and Salem State Colleges were trained by the staff in 1970. Each building also has the shared services of a nurse, while one secretary, housed at the Burley School, covers all three buildings. A service staff of two full time custodians and one part-time custodian, four lunch room aides and four cafeteria staff. The district is currently cooperating in the training of two classroom aides. In addition, a corp of volunteer mothers are assisting with playground duty at the Burley School in an experimental project.

for the acquisition of knowledge. Five elementary teachers attended one-week science workshops at the Educational Development Center. A revised science curriculum guide has been developed incorporating the new approaches in elementary school science.

As a result of a year-long study of the Social Studies Curriculum Committee, composed of teachers from kindergarten through high school level, a new design for the curriculum has been proposed which includes all of the social science disciplines. Work on this program will continue and pilot programs will be instituted in the next school year.

A system-wide report card committee has devised new methods of reporting progress which it is expected will be more meaningful to both students and parents. Implementation will probably take place in the next school year.

The cooperation of the Garden Club of Ipswich, The Town and Country Garden Club, and the Trustees of Public Reservations helped to provide a worthwhile series of workshops for teachers who participated under the leadership of the Massachusetts Audubon Society. The school libraries were the recipients of a gift from the Trustees of 100 copies of "Pine Hollow Interpretive Trail", a booklet describing the recently completed nature trail at the Crane's Beach Reservation. This booklet will be an aid to teachers and students in the ecological study of this area.

Once again we express our appreciation to Miss Sally Dodge for garnering financial support for the "Young Audiences" concerts presented to pupils of grades 4, 5, and 6 of the Winthrop and Doyon Schools.

Though the town's entitlement under Title I, ESEA was less than last year, these funds combined with funds from P.L. 874 were sufficient to provide a summer tutorial program in reading and math and perceptual-motor development for selected students.

The Great Books program of the University of Chicago was introduced this year. Mrs. Hollis Bucklin assumed the chairmanship of a group of volunteers who undertook a leader's training course in the Spring. Students from the 4th, 5th, and 6th grades now meet every other week with the volunteer adult leaders for open-end discussion of great literary selections.

Elementary teachers have assumed responsibility for the pre-service experience of students from Salem State

College, Boston State College, Gordon College, Simmons College and Endicott Junior College.

The Ipswich elementary schools have been represented at educational conferences at both the regional and national level. Personnel from the elementary level have assisted in the development of the first Teacher Aide Training Program at a Massachusetts Community College and in the implementation of the first state-wide conference on Human Relations.

The complexities of contemporary society require a staff of intelligent, educated and concerned teachers. Ipswich is fortunate in being able to attract and retain high-calibre people to teach and guide its young citizens.



J. J. Battaglio

Organization

A new organization plan was drawn up by the director over the summer. It includes a statement of philosophy for educating handicapped children, a description of special programs now in effect, and a specific set of procedures for the identification, referral, evaluation and disposition of cases involving school children with learning problems.

All members of the Pupil Personnel team, including school counselors and specialized personnel, are drawn together in working with referred children by the use of standard forms and procedures under the new plan. A case coordinator is assigned for each referral according to the nature of the problem as follows:

Auditory, visual and physical handicaps

The school nurse of the appropriate school

Mentally retarded

The supervisor of special classes

Speech defects

The speech therapist

Emotional problems

The consultant for emotionally disturbed children

Reading problems

The reading specialist of the appropriate school

Specific learning disabilities

The reading specialist and the appropriate school counselor

The plan calls for completion of State forms, for cases which will come under State law provisions, for screening by the entire Pupil Personnel Staff when necessary, and for authorization of all placements and dispositions by the Superintendent of Schools.

II. Personnel

The counseling staff underwent considerable change. At the High School, Mr. Dermody who was granted a leave of absence to teach overseas, was replaced by Mr. Thomas McCarthy. A counselor was brought in to coordinate all work experience programs, including the coop-work program, and to counsel a proportion of non-college preparatory students.

At the Junior High School, Mr. Thomas Sullivan was replaced by Miss Theresa Dennesen.

At the elementary level, Mrs. Karen Lake assumed counseling and case work responsibilities for children with emotional problems, and Mr. Bruce Hautala was hired to bring the staff up to strength and to provide a balance between male and female counselors.

A specialist was added to work with perceptually handicapped children at the Winthrop and Shatswell schools.

III. Special Programs and Services

- a. System-wide guidance services for all schools.
- b. Classes for retarded children
 - Primary - Nine pupils, ages 6-10
 - Intermediate - Nine pupils, ages 10-12
 - Junior High - Seven pupils, ages 11-14
- c. Classes for emotionally disturbed children
 - Primary - Eight pupils, ages 7-10
 - Junior High - Three pupils, tutoring program.
- d. Perceptual handicaps
 - Approximately fifty pupils, tutorial and in class programs. Grades 1-6.
- e. Speech Therapy
 - Kindergarten - Groups of eight children meeting once per week.
 - Elementary - Groups of four, once per week.
 - Individually, twice per week.
- f. Reading - Diagnostic and remedial services at all grade levels.
- g. Psychological services - Consulting psychologist affiliated with the schools.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the Town of
IPSWICH, MASSACHUSETTS

Year Ending December 31, 1970

TOWN OF IPSWICH

BALANCE SHEET--DECEMBER 31, 1970

ASSETSCASH

General	614,247.64
Petty:	
Accounting	5.00
School	25.00
Municipal Electric	75.00
Certificate of Deposit	
Revenue	500,000.00
Non-Revenue	100,000.00
	<u>1,214,352.64</u>

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLESTaxes:

Levy of 1964	
Personal Property	70.30
Levy of 1966	
Personal Property	102.30
Levy of 1967	
Personal Property	741.64
Levy of 1968	
Personal Property	637.10
Real Estate	63.44
Levy of 1969	
Personal Property	2,617.40
Real Estate	13,806.05
Levy of 1970	
Personal Property	6,572.41
Real Estate	132,938.35
Levy of 1971	
Real Estate	<u>(3,640.00)</u>
	153,908.99

Motor Vehicle Excise:

Levy of 1962	83.90
Levy of 1963	177.09
Levy of 1964	1,568.64
Levy of 1965	3,617.65
Levy of 1966	3,305.96
Levy of 1967	5,214.33
Levy of 1968	6,014.84
Levy of 1969	4,389.91
Levy of 1970	<u>47,108.98</u>
	71,481.30

Farm Animal Excise:

Levy of 1966	11.25
Levy of 1967	12.00
Levy of 1968	68.25
Levy of 1969	40.50
Levy of 1970	<u>20.00</u>
	152.00

LIABILITIES & RESERVEPremium on Loans

51.24

Payroll Deductions

County Retirement	4,499.65
Federal Income Withholding	16,118.45
State Tax Withholding	9,621.40
Health Insurance	2,049.64
O.M.E. Deductions	3.21
Life Insurance	136.83
Tax Sheltered Annuities	958.49
Clothing Allowance	<u>(28.96)</u>
	33,358.71

Guarantee Deposits:

Municipal Electric	13,649.88
Contract Performance	<u>7,000.00</u>
	20,649.88

Overestimates:

County Tax 1970	614.29
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Tailings:

Unclaimed Checks	2,266.88
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Watershed District 1970

944.46

Shellfish Reimbursement

730.14

Youth Commission State Aid

3,793.75

Gifts and Bequests:

School Band Fund	221.57
Cemetery Perpetual Care	120.00
Trustees of Reservations	200.00
Manning Funds	<u>5.52</u>
	547.09

Teachers Retirement Refund

1,169.26

Federal Grants:School:

Public Law 874	15,791.56
Public Law 85-864	8,419.60
Public Law 88-210	12.28
ESEA Title I	1.93
National Defense Title V	4,266.45
ESEA Title II	573.46
Education Handicapped	4.00

Historic District:

H.U.D.	475.80
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TOWN OF IPSWICH

BALANCE SHEET--DECEMBER 31, 1970

ASSETSSpecial Assessments:

Unapportioned Sewers	2,418.55
Sewer Added to Taxes	
Levy of 1969	162.75
Levy of 1970	1,264.73
Committed Interest	
Levy of 1967	7.75
Levy of 1969	341.66
Levy of 1970	1,093.24
Interest Apportioned-	
Sewer Paid in Advance	(64.38)
	<u>5,224.30</u>

Tax Title and Possessions:

Tax Titles	6,383.01
Tax Possessions	<u>6,360.14</u>
	12,743.15

Departmental:

Town Property	882.00
Engineering	45.00
Health	172.14
A.D.C.	1,940.78
O.A.A.	1,914.18
D.A.	1,432.87
M.A.	7,210.03
Veterans	7,930.84
Cemetery	841.00
School	<u>490.00</u>
	22,858.84

Municipal Electric:

Rates & Charges	128,871.01
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Water:Liens Added to Taxes:

Levy of 1969	(45.81)
Levy of 1970	2,892.01
Rates & Charges	<u>30,761.30</u>
	33,607.50

Sewer:Liens Added to Taxes:

Levy of 1970	2,630.07
Rates & Charges	<u>2,702.16</u>
	5,332.23

Aid to Highways:

State	5,619.40
County	<u>4,309.70</u>
	9,929.10

LIABILITIES & RESERVEWelfare:

M.A.	<u>1,816.58</u>
	31,361.66

County:

Dog License Refund	494.35
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Recoveries:

Veterans Benefits	764.78
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Revolving Funds:

School Athletic	1,197.31
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Appropriation Balances:

Revenue:	
General	300,362.01
Municipal Electric:	
Maintenance & Operation	0.00
Depreciation	8,055.33
Construction	144,053.65
Water:	
Maintenance & Operation	20,000.00
Plant & Investment	2,425.15
Construction & Improvements	<u>41,872.90</u>
	516,769.04

<u>Loans Authorized & Unissued</u>	734,500.00
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<u>Sale of Real Estate Fund</u>	.74
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<u>Sale of Cemetery Lots Fund</u>	1,199.95
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<u>Conservation Fund</u>	34,168.94
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Receipts Reserved for Appropriations

Highway Machinery	179.81
Brown School Fund	500.00
Audubon Ecology Workshop	50.00
State Aid for Libraries	2,136.00
Water Pollution Control	3,570.00
Sewer	143,496.84
Reimbursement for Damages	<u>1,455.65</u>
	151,388.30

<u>Reserve Fund Overlay Surplus</u>	5,174.06
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Overlays Reserved for Abatements:

Levy of 1967	1,096.21
Levy 1968	844.67
Levy of 1969	24,935.24
Levy of 1970	<u>23,211.03</u>
	50,087.15

TOWN OF IPSWICH

BALANCE SHEET--DECEMBER 31, 1970

ASSETSOTHERLoans Authorized:

Sewer Construction	
3-7-66 Art 63	343,000.00
School Construction	
1/16/67 Art 6	100,500.00
Sewerage Treatment Plant	
3-3-69 Art 16	291,000.00
	<u>734,500.00</u>

UNPROVIDED FOR OR OVERDRAWNACCOUNTS:

Metropolitan Area Council	247.78
State Recreation Areas 1970	1,182.69
Mosquito Control Project	
1970	5,353.17
Overlay Deficits:	
Levy of 1965	323.17
Levy of 1966	691.02
Cafeteria	2,470.06
Cemetery Trust Fund Income	32.08
Cemetery Flower Fund Income	67.92
	<u>10,367.89</u>
	<u><u>2,403,328.95</u></u>

LIABILITIES & RESERVESRevenue Reserved Until Collected:

Motor Vehicle Excise	71,497.80
Farm Animal Excise	152.00
Departmental	22,858.84
Aid to Highways	9,929.10
Tax Title	6,383.01
Tax Title Possession	6,360.14
Municipal Electric	128,871.01
Water	33,610.38
Sewer	<u>15,104.21</u>
	294,766.49

<u>Reserve for Petty Cash Advances</u>	105.00
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Surplus Revenue:

General	441,739.61
Municipal Electric	42,156.40
Water	<u>33,329.47</u>
	<u>517,225.48</u>
	<u><u>2,403,328.95</u></u>

TOWN OF IPSWICH

BALANCE SHEET--DECEMBER 31, 1970

Debt AccountsNet Funded or Fixed Debt:Inside Debt Limit:

General 519,000.00

Outside Debt Limit:

General 931,000.00

Municipal Electric 353,000.00

Water 623,000.00

2,426,000.00Serial Loans:Inside Debt Limit:

General:

Sewer Construction 492,000.00

Sewer Treatment Plant 7,000.00

Junior High School Repair 20,000.00

519,000.00Outside Debt Limit:

General:

Sewer Construction 340,000.00

Schools:

Elementary 388,000.00

Intermediate 45,000.00

High 158,000.00

931,000.00Public Service Enterprise:

Municipal Electric 353,000.00

Water 623,000.00

976,000.002,426,000.00Deferred Revenue Accounts:

Apportioned Sewer

Assessments Not Due 123,406.68

Suspended Sewer

Assessments Not Due 2,012.40

125,419.08

Apportioned Sewer Revenue:

Due 1971 12,645.14

1972 11,977.25

1973 10,907.38

1974 9,392.24

1975 8,431.29

1976 8,298.29

1977 7,671.24

1978 7,646.44

1979 7,363.77

1980 6,227.43

1981 5,584.78

1982 5,481.55

1983 4,093.09

1984 3,761.64

1985 3,249.89

1986 3,249.89

1987 2,787.93

1988 2,643.08

1989 1,906.52

1990 87.84

Suspended Revenue

2,012.40125,419.08

DETAILED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS
For the Year Ending December 31, 1970

Taxes:

Real Estate:

1968 Levy	6,239.76
1969 Levy	94,634.08
1970 Levy	3,201,953.31
1971	<u>3,640.00</u>
	3,306,467.15

Personal Property:

1964 Levy	350.00
1966 Levy	51.15
1967 Levy	28.13
1968 Levy	53.75
1969 Levy	3,596.13
1970 Levy	<u>84,212.11</u>
	88,291.27

Tax Title Redemption	2,895.78
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Farm Animal Excise:

1969 Levy	20.00
1970 Levy	<u>121.30</u>
	141.30

In Lieu of Taxes:

State Property	21,559.15
Cranes Beach	11,239.74
Ipswich Housing Authority	<u>864.00</u>
	33,662.89

State General Fund Distributions:

Machinery Basis	4,512.27
Special Education Chap 69&71	31,812.00
School Aid Chapter 70	412,601.98
Valuation Basis Ch 660	<u>47,307.65</u>
	496,233.90

Licenses and Permits:

Selectmen:

Alcoholic Beverages	27,130.00
Druggist Alcohol License	350.00
Amusement	764.00
Auto Dealers	270.00
Common Victualler	108.00
Auctioneer	4.00
Junk	30.00
Shellfish Permits	1,920.00
Occupancy Permits	38.00

Town Clerk:

Clam Permits	6,251.00
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Police:

License to Carry Firearms	324.00
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Building Inspector:

Building Permits	3,871.50
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Licenses and Permits (cont.)

Health & Sanitation:

Alchool	1.00
Milk Pastuerizing	20.00
Cesspool Installation	10.00
Camp	2.00
Cesspool Pumping	9.00
Oleo & Milk	36.50
Ice Cream Manufacturers	15.00
Slaughtering License	100.00
Sewer Installers	80.00
Restaurant	28.00
Septic Tank Permits	230.00
Rendering	4.00
Plumbing Permits	1,155.50
Gas Permits	620.50
Street Opening	<u>210.00</u>
	43,582.00

Fines and Forfeits

2,289.00

Grants & Gifts:

Federal:

Medical Assistance	462.25
P.L. 85-864 Title III	5,704.86
P.L. 85-864 Title V	1,428.45
P.L. 874	15,791.00
E.S.E.A. Title VI	7,900.00
E.S.E.A. Title I	9,391.00
E.S.E.A. Title II	1,591.57
H.U.D.	<u>2,000.00</u>
	44,269.13

State:

School Transportation	73,046.92
Vocation Education Trans.	5,700.00
School Lunch Program	37,022.01
School Construction	89,337.06
Tuition & Transportation	6,182.61
Water Pollution Control	3,570.00
Aid to Libraries	2,136.00
Shellfish Reimbursement	1,100.00
Youth Commission	<u>3,793.75</u>
	221,888.35

County:

Dog Account Refund	493.98
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Other Grants:

Chamber of Commerce	700.00
Manning Fund	1,021.58
Miscellaneous	<u>91.00</u>
	1,812.58

DETAILED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS
For the Year Ending December 31, 1970

Special Assessments:			Public Safety (cont.)		
Unapportioned Sewer	23,602.70		Firearm I.D.		184.00
Added to Taxes:			Accident Report		329.00
1968	86.25		Reports		64.00
1969	702.73		Fire:		<u>40.00</u>
1970	12,208.26				655.00
Apportioned Paid in Advance	<u>19,951.85</u>				
	56,551.79		Health & Sanitation:		
Motor Vehicle Excise:			Sealer of Weights & Measures		153.60
1963	28.07		Slaughtering Fees		1,140.00
1964	12.10		Rabies Clinic		190.50
1965	398.88		Connection Fee		650.00
1966	845.07		Sewer Rental Fees		39,325.11
1967	841.08		Added to Taxes:		
1968	943.02		1968		73.75
1969	38,098.77		1969		29.02
1970	<u>235,245.76</u>		1970		<u>5,107.29</u>
	276,412.75				46,669.27
Departmental			Highways:		
General Government:			General		62.00
Selectmen	272.55		Chapter 90		
Finance & Accounting			State		57,964.95
Salaries Reimb.	3,226.09		County		28,232.47
Expenses Reimb	297.78		Chapter 768		30,983.68
Payroll Processing	238.56		Highway Machinery		<u>180.00</u>
Casualty Insurance	15,462.96				117,423.10
Workmen's Comp.	12,622.96		Public Assistance:		
Billing Salaries	9,826.25		Medical Assistance		323.18
Billing Expenses	3,780.00		Veterans Services		<u>45,403.34</u>
County Retirement	24,791.40				45,726.52
Group Insurance	3,854.76		Schools:		
Treasurer			Tuition		12,740.00
Salaries Reimb	4,196.01		Driver Education		780.00
Expenses Reimb	509.53		Adult Education		4,120.85
Costs-Taxes	573.00		Rentals		45.00
Cost-Motor Vehicle Excise	1,308.50		Miscellaneous		180.68
Tax Certificates	738.00		Feoffees Grammar Schools		7,500.00
Debt Reimb	120,896.50		School Lunch		132,901.16
Town Clerk			Athletic Receipts		<u>10,055.94</u>
Recordings	3,161.00				168,323.63
Marriage Intentions	464.00		Recreation:		
Certified Copies	248.50		Special Activities		20.00
Other	177.00		Swimming Instruction		427.00
Planning Board	4.50		Beach Stickers		2,016.25
Inspection of Subdivision	332.00		Lighthouse Rental		<u>275.50</u>
Appeals Board	276.00				2,738.75
Town Property Rentals	<u>7,215.46</u>				
	214,473.31		Unclassified		
Public Safety					961.82
Police:					
Bicycle Registration	38.00				

DETAILED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS
For the Year Ending December 31, 1970

Departmental (cont.)¹

Public Service Enterprises:

Electric Light	
Rates & Services	1,055,378.95
Water	
Rates & Services	210,452.97
Water Liens	
1969	1,788.97
1970	7,939.84
	<u>1,275,560.73</u>

Cemeteries:

Sale of Lots Fund	1,200.00
Care of Lots	
Annual	837.00
Perpetual Care Income	7,525.34
Openings	4,137.00
Foundations	1,154.90
Tents	900.00
Liners	720.00
Miscellaneous	10.00
Transfer from Funds	13,530.00
Flower Fund Income	254.87
	<u>30,269.11</u>

Interest:

Electric Department:

Meter Deposits	1,109.39
Depreciation Fund	2,256.54

General Revenue

Taxes	5,857.62
Tax Titles Redeemed	422.58
Motor Vehicle Excise	526.79
Investments	17,198.88
Sewer	7,621.54

Trust Funds

Post War Rehabilitation	166.82
John C. Kimball	35.21
Mrs. Wm. G. Brown	211.43
Marianna T Jones	101.36
Richard T Crane Picnic	9,551.46
Eunice C. Cowles	953.73
Mark Newman Memorial	407.20
Martha I Savory	37.62
Dow Boulder Memorial	17.69
Appleton Memorial Fountain	21.46
Hannah C. Clark	48.44
School Grounds Improvement	.87
	<u>46,546.63</u>

Municipal Indebtedness:

Anticipation of Revenue Loans	1,900,000.00
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Municipal Indebtedness (cont)

Serial Loans:

Water Bonds	68,000.00
Sewer Bonds	100,000.00
Premium on Loans	51.24
	<u>2,068,051.24</u>

Agency Trust and Investments:

Agency:

Dog Fund Collections	3,335.25
Electric Meter Deposits	4,382.00
Payroll Deductions:	
Federal Withholding	399,390.89
State Withholding	83,354.16
Health Insurance	39,058.10
Life Insurance	1,632.84
Retirement	56,626.73
Tax Sheltered Annuities	13,604.45
Other	1,855.05

Trust:

Perpetual Care Bequest	2,925.00
School Grounds Improvement	66.33

Investments:

Revenue Cash	995,060.78
Non-Revenue Cash	692,932.00
Conservation Fund	1,741.67
Stabilization Fund	5,795.64
	<u>2,301,760.89</u>

Refunds:

Debt Service	3,208.00
Insurance	18,493.60

General Government:

Selectmen	6.00
Legal	683.25
Town Manager	845.69
Payrolls	1,462.80
Appeals	56.00
Public Safety:	
Police	70.00
Fire	6.78
Civil Defense	160.90
Health	38.50
Public Works	225.14
Veterans Benefits	836.00
Schools	1,172.85
Library	26.00
Recreation	24.00
Water	165.00
Accrued Interest	303.33
	<u>27,783.84</u>

Total Receipts

10,921,935.71

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1970

Departmental Expenditures 4,254,705.19

State & County Requirements:

Audit-Municipal Accounts	5,602.32
State Parks	15,953.67
Motor Vehicle Excise Bills	1,031.10
Metropolitan Area Plnng Council	740.28
Shellfish Purification	2,729.82
State Assessment System	398.20
Mosquito Control Project	14,325.17
County Tax	<u>97,112.33</u>
	137,892.89

Public Service Enterprises:

Electric Department	
Operation	915,111.13
Construction	77,584.74
Depreciation	<u>114,909.50</u>
	1,107,605.37

Water Department

Operation	173,227.91
Construction	<u>164,425.13</u>
	337,653.04

Municipal Indebtedness:

Maturing Debt:	
General	366,000.00
Public Service Enterprise	138,000.00
Loan-Anticipation-Revenue	1,900,000.00
Interest-Maturing Debt	101,850.50
Interest-Anticipation-Revenue	<u>36,360.45</u>
	2,542,210.95

Agency:

Dog Licenses-Coll. for County	3,335.25
Deposits for Services	5,003.96
Federal Withholding Tax	381,029.97
State Withholding Tax	79,225.53
Group Insurance	37,268.60
Retirement Fund	56,151.10
O.M.E. Deduction	324.00
Life Insurance	1,569.35
Annuities	13,135.44
Clothing Allowance Deduction	<u>838.22</u>
	577,881.42

Trust Funds:

Perpetual Care Funds:

Cemetery Bequests	2,875.00
Cemetery Flower Bequests	-0-
Cemetery Perpetual Care Inc	8,267.51
Cemetery Flower Fnd Income	<u>322.79</u>
	11,465.30

Other Public Trust Funds:

Eunice C. Cowles	953.73
R. T. Crane Picnic	9,551.46
Hannah C. Clarke	48.44
Martha I. Savory	37.62
Mark Newman	407.20
Mrs. Wm. G. Brown	211.43
Appleton Memorial	21.46
Dow Boulder Memorial	17.69
John C. Kimball	35.21
Marianna T. Jones	101.36
Rehabilitation	166.82
School Grounds Improvement	<u>67.20</u>
	11,619.62

Investment:

Certificates of Deposit:

Revenue	1,100,000.00
Non-Revenue	596,834.00
Stabilization	35,000.00
Stabilization Fund Income	<u>5,795.64</u>
	1,737,629.64

Refunds:

Taxes	15,087.61
Special Assessments	71.43
Motor Vehicle Excise	6,951.84
Schools	230.00
Cash Advance-Payrolls	1,462.80
Water	1,094.29
Sewer	1,340.65
Other	<u>56.32</u>
	26,294.94

TOTAL PAYMENTS

10,744,958.36

CONSOLIDATED APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT
For the Year Ending December 31, 1970

	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>January 1, 1970</u>	<u>Adjusted</u> <u>Balance</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Closed</u> <u>To Revenue</u>	<u>Balance Forward</u> <u>To 1971</u>
Town Moderator	125.00	-0-	125.00	123.00	2.00	-0-
Selectmen	7,845.00	-0-	8,355.00	8,343.88	11.12	-0-
Finance Committee	660.00	-0-	660.00	605.60	54.40	-0-
Reserve Fund	20,000.00	-0-	50.95	-0-	50.95	-0-
Planning Board	4,160.00	-0-	9,560.00	4,699.87	1,610.29	3,249.84
Election & Registration	7,600.00	-0-	10,340.00	9,610.46	729.54	-0-
Appeals Board	225.00	-0-	225.00	224.00	1.00	-0-
Town Manager	39,478.00	-0-	41,540.69	40,893.03	647.66	-0-
Capital Outlay Equipment	-0-	2,119.50	2,119.50	-0-	119.50	2,000.00
Codification of By-Laws	-0-	2,125.00	2,125.00	25.00	-0-	2,100.00
Land Purchase	83,000.00	859.00	83,859.00	83,000.00	-0-	859.00
MBTA Contract Authorized	-0-	10,387.09	10,387.09	-0-	-0-	10,387.09
ENGINEERING STUDIES-Reservoir	-0-	1,275.62	1,275.62	-0-	-0-	1,275.62
Fire Protection Facilities	-0-	750.00	750.00	750.00	-0-	-0-
Farley Brook Easements	4,500.00	-0-	4,500.00	-0-	-0-	4,500.00
Sewer Easements	1,000.00	-0-	1,000.00	-0-	-0-	1,000.00
Land Takings	7,500.00	-0-	7,500.00	4,625.00	-0-	2,875.00
Miscellaneous Finance						
Data Processing	4,500.00	-0-	6,066.10	5,293.13	495.92	277.05
Insurance & Bonds	68,854.00	-0-	68,854.00	57,237.45	11,616.55	-0-
Essex County Retirement	110,184.00	-0-	110,184.00	110,183.82	.18	-0-
Group Insurance - Chapter 32B	45,000.00	-0-	45,000.00	37,016.88	7,983.12	-0-
Veterans Pensions Reimb.	10,577.00	-0-	10,577.00	10,576.79	.21	-0-
Capital - Data Processing	-0-	384.90	384.90	384.90	-0-	-0-
Whittier Regional District	6,174.00	-0-	6,174.00	6,174.00	-0-	-0-
Accountant	23,764.00	-0-	23,399.00	22,261.86	1,137.14	-0-
Capital Outlay	400.00	-0-	765.00	731.38	33.62	-0-
Treasurer - Collector	27,816.00	-0-	27,816.00	27,516.97	299.03	-0-
Maturing Debt	501,000.00	-0-	501,000.00	501,000.00	-0-	-0-
Interest on Maturing Debt	101,652.00	-0-	101,652.00	101,642.50	9.50	-0-
Interest on Temporary Loans	40,000.00	-0-	40,000.00	36,360.45	3,639.55	-0-
Bond Issue Expense	10,000.00	-0-	10,000.00	1,188.49	8,811.51	-0-
Assessor	25,275.00	-0-	25,077.00	21,693.65	1,883.35	1,500.00
Capital Outlay Equipment	-0-	-0-	198.00	198.00	-0-	-0-
Billing	23,125.00	-0-	14,621.00	13,080.89	1,540.11	-0-
Town Clerk	11,327.00	-0-	11,327.00	10,893.03	433.97	-0-
Capital Equipment	-0-	310.00	310.00	310.00	-0-	-0-

	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Balance</u> January 1, 1970	<u>Adjusted</u> Balance	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Closed</u> To Revenue	<u>Balance Forward</u> To 1971
Legal	11,975.00	-0-	11,975.00	11,053.94	921.06	-0-
Industrial Commission	115.00	-0-	115.00	-0-	115.00	-0-
Historical Commission	300.00	-0-	341.00	-0-	300.00	41.00
Conservation Commission	420.00	-0-	420.00	139.80	223.38	56.82
Capital Outlay Land & Structures	-0-	2,000.00	2,000.00	-0-	-0-	2,000.00
Historical District Committee	225.00	-0-	225.00	-0-	225.00	-0-
Unclassified - Ipswich Promotion	700.00	726.81	1,426.81	1,388.22	-0-	38.59
Stabilization Fund	35,000.00	-0-	35,000.00	-0-	-0-	35,000.00
Police	187,891.60	-0-	188,078.65	173,224.02	14,236.26	618.37
Station Wagon	3,400.00	-0-	3,400.00	3,391.32	8.68	-0-
Cruiser	-0-	-0-	2,860.00	2,860.00	-0-	-0-
Fire	179,335.00	-0-	179,335.00	173,197.85	5,740.44	396.71
Out of State Travel	150.00	-0-	150.00	101.70	48.30	-0-
New Hose	2,000.00	-0-	2,000.00	1,996.50	3.50	-0-
Beds	1,240.00	-0-	1,240.00	1,220.00	20.00	-0-
Large Equipment	700.00	-0-	700.00	700.00	-0-	-0-
Fire Alarm Ext.	600.00	-0-	600.00	558.00	42.00	-0-
Civil Defense	2,830.00	-0-	2,830.00	2,391.10	458.05	(19.15)
Capital - Water Pump	600.00	-0-	600.00	506.04	93.96	-0-
Shellfish and Harbors	12,850.00	-0-	12,850.00	12,587.60	262.40	-0-
Capital Outlay - Boat	500.00	-0-	500.00	450.00	50.00	-0-
Health	18,162.00	-0-	14,543.07	14,543.07	-0-	-0-
Mosquito & Greenhead Control	1,813.00	-0-	1,813.00	1,813.00	-0-	-0-
Rubbish Collection	26,600.00	-0-	32,958.29	32,958.29	-0-	-0-
Garbage Collection	16,500.00	-0-	19,716.63	19,716.63	-0-	-0-
Dump Maintenance	20,000.00	-0-	23,498.01	23,498.01	-0-	-0-
Dump Dike	-0-	10,000.00	10,000.00	8,169.64	-0-	1,830.36
Fluoridation Equipment	-0-	3,000.00	3,000.00	-0-	-0-	3,000.00
Veterans Services	109,500.00	-0-	109,500.00	108,334.44	-0-	1,165.56
Public Works Administration	22,082.00	-0-	22,082.00	12,796.97	9,285.03	-0-
Parking Lot Leases	-0-	275.75	275.75	-0-	-0-	275.75
Building Inspector	8,140.00	-0-	8,140.00	7,084.48	1,055.52	-0-
Town Hall Building	10,467.00	-0-	11,938.00	11,351.02	29.98	557.00
Town Hall Improvement	9,000.00	516.00	9,516.00	516.00	-0-	9,000.00
Memorial Building	8,727.00	-0-	8,701.00	8,279.20	421.80	-0-
Sewage Plant	580.00	-0-	580.00	536.54	38.31	5.15
Fire Building	2,800.00	-0-	2,550.99	2,550.42	.57	-0-
Capital Outlay - Equipment	1,400.00	847.00	2,606.01	2,606.01	-0-	-0-
Town Garage	1,650.00	-0-	1,971.00	1,970.91	.09	-0-
Capital Outlay - Heater	750.00	-0-	579.00	579.00	-0-	-0-

	Appropriation	Balance January 1, 1970	Adjusted Balance	Expenditures	Closed To Revenue	Balance Forward To 1971
Cemetery Building	600.00	-0-	600.00	511.22	88.78	-0-
Park Building	2,435.00	-0-	2,435.00	2,193.41	241.59	-0-
Library Building	1,775.00	-0-	2,269.00	2,268.17	.83	-0-
Capital Outlay Equipment-Shed	550.00	-0-	77.00	77.00	-0-	-0-
Highway	118,596.00	-0-	118,416.88	115,763.30	2,611.93	41.65
Chapter 90 Maintenance	4,500.00	-0-	4,500.00	4,473.87	26.13	-0-
Motor Vehicle Equipment	-0-	10,455.00	10,455.00	10,443.00	12.00	-0-
Truck 306 VW	20,000.00	-0-	19,600.00	19,537.99	62.01	-0-
Loader -Back	15,000.00	-0-	15,000.00	14,976.79	23.21	-0-
Brownville Avenue Paving	9,440.00	-0-	9,440.00	6,810.41	-0-	2,629.59
Mt. Pleasant Ave. Paving	3,670.00	-0-	3,670.00	3,669.88	.12	-0-
Wayne Avenue Paving	500.00	-0-	500.00	78.00	-0-	422.00
Lafayette Street Paving	16,460.00	-0-	16,460.00	7,328.05	-0-	9,131.95
Putnam Street Paving	8,230.00	-0-	8,230.00	2,979.72	-0-	5,250.28
Prescott Street Paving	4,980.00	-0-	4,980.00	4,923.48	-0-	56.52
Farragut Street Paving	3,300.00	-0-	3,300.00	651.89	-0-	2,648.11
Sidewalks & Curbstones	2,000.00	-0-	2,000.00	1,824.24	-0-	175.76
Storm Drain	2,000.00	-0-	2,000.00	1,655.24	-0-	344.76
Spring Street Drain	6,000.00	-0-	6,000.00	-0-	-0-	6,000.00
High Street Drain	2,600.00	-0-	2,600.00	494.68	-0-	2,105.32
Guard Rails & Fencing	-0-	622.54	622.54	236.60	-0-	385.94
Guard Rails	-0-	743.96	743.96	400.00	-0-	343.96
Chapter 90 Construction 1967	-0-	3,709.35	3,709.35	-0-	-0-	3,709.35
Chapter 90 Construction 1968	-0-	20,214.99	20,214.99	20,103.24	-0-	111.75
Chapter 90 Construction 1969	-0-	39,000.00	39,000.00	38,962.50	-0-	37.50
Chapter 90 Construction 1970	39,000.00	-0-	39,000.00	26,359.99	-0-	12,640.01
Farley Brook Repiping	-0-	25,981.00	25,981.00	-0-	-0-	25,981.00
Miles River Improvement	-0-	5,000.00	5,000.00	-0-	-0-	5,000.00
Chapter 768	7,746.00	-0-	7,746.00	-0-	7,746.00	-0-
Chapter 768 Wayne Avenue	-0-	-0-	7,745.92	2,587.54	-0-	5,158.38
Warner Road Drainage	-0-	217.92	217.92	217.00	.92	-0-
Land Damage	4,000.00	-0-	4,000.00	-0-	-0-	4,000.00
Equipment Maintenance	24,247.00	-0-	27,079.40	26,422.32	657.08	-0-
Fuel Oil Tank	500.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
20 Ton Jack	620.00	-0-	620.00	620.00	-0-	-0-
Steam Cleaner	1,000.00	-0-	1,400.00	1,400.00	-0-	-0-
Snow and Ice Control	36,150.00	-0-	36,150.00	46,832.21	-0-	(10,682.21)
Forestry	41,824.00	-0-	41,891.01	41,293.65	597.36	-0-
Out of State Travel	50.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Saw	250.00	-0-	250.00	248.75	1.25	-0-

	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>January 1, 1970</u>	<u>Adjusted</u> <u>Balance</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Closed</u> <u>To Revenue</u>	<u>Balance Forward</u> <u>To 1971</u>
Brush Chipper	3,500.00	-0-	3,219.00	3,219.00	-0-	-0-
Recreation	55,734.00	-0-	55,716.90	54,959.07	757.83	-0-
Out of State Travel	400.00	-0-	400.00	400.00	-0-	-0-
Playground Equipment	1,000.00	-0-	1,000.00	808.75	191.25	-0-
Daniel Boone Park	-0-	436.16	436.16	468.60	(32.44)	-0-
Spi Rl Fencing	100.00	-0-	100.00	98.15	1.85	-0-
3 Finger Piers	300.00	-0-	300.00	300.00	-0-	-0-
Boardwalk - Beach	200.00	-0-	200.00	198.60	1.40	-0-
Hot Top Linebrook	1,000.00	500.00	1,500.00	1,350.00	150.00	150.00
Neck Causeway	400.00	94.35	494.35	447.00	47.35	-0-
Great Neck Playground	700.00	1,315.06	2,015.06	2,010.65	4.41	-0-
Fencing Baseball Field	1,100.00	141.00	1,241.00	1,200.00	41.00	-0-
Resurface Tennis Court	7,000.00	2,500.00	9,500.00	7,047.34	-0-	2,452.66
Cemetery	47,520.00	-0-	47,478.19	45,803.23	1,674.96	-0-
4 Wheel Drive Snow Blower	-0-	1,500.00	2,003.95	2,003.95	-0-	-0-
Hot Top Avenues	3,000.00	650.00	3,695.86	3,670.06	25.80	-0-
Education	2,296,177.65	-0-	2,296,177.65	2,247,672.02	31,897.21	16,608.42
Construction Plans	-0-	595.15	595.15	-0-	-0-	595.15
Plans for New High School	2,000.00	13,000.00	15,000.00	14,249.53	-0-	750.47
Elementary School Addition(1467F)	-0-	12,886.27	12,886.27	262.10	-0-	12,624.17
Elementary School Construction(1285)	-0-	788.02	788.02	-0-	-0-	788.02
Vocation Regional School District	-0-	500.00	500.00	-0-	-0-	500.00
Regional School District Comm.	-0-	3,147.00	3,147.00	-0-	-0-	3,147.00
Library	57,419.00	-0-	57,419.00	55,676.12	1,742.88	-0-
Shelving	-0-	100.00	100.00	98.00	2.00	-0-
Sewer Operations	32,105.00	-0-	32,055.60	29,986.99	2,068.61	-0-
Sewer Construction Wharf Area	118,000.00	-0-	118,000.00	5,247.27	-0-	112,752/73
Sewer Treatment Plant	-0-	5,469.88	5,469.88	3,006.36	-0-	2,463.52
High Street & Lord Square Sewer	-0-	33.39	33.39	-0-	-0-	33.39
Topsfield Road & Adjacent Sewer	(18,000.00)	19,409.00	1,409.00	281.00	-0-	1,128.00
North Main Street Sewer	-0-	5,449.65	5,449.65	679.60	-0-	4,770.05
Sewer Extension Matching	-0-	7,000.00	7,000.00	-0-	-0-	7,000.00
Construction Article 15 ATM 1969	-0-	4,637.23	4,637.23	2,591.17	-0-	2,046.06
Treatment Plant Addition Art. 16 '69	-0-	6,750.00	6,750.00	6,750.00	-0-	-0-
1969 Appropriations						
Selectmen	-0-	6.50	6.50	-0-	6.50	-0-
Planning Board	-0-	7.00	7.00	7.00	-0-	-0-
Election & Registration	-0-	880.00	880.00	880.00	-0-	-0-
Town Manager	-0-	1,022.65	1,022.65	1,022.34	.31	-0-

1969 Appropriations (continued)						
	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>January 1, 1970</u>	<u>Adjusted</u> <u>Balance</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Closed</u> <u>To Revenue</u>	<u>Balance Forward</u> <u>To 1971</u>
Finance Director	-0-	180.00	180.00	178.15	1.85	-0-
Unpaid Bills	-0-	536.53	536.53	394.26	142.27	-0-
Accountant	-0-	75.00	75.00	70.55	4.45	-0-
Assessors	-0-	20.00	20.00	-0-	20.00	-0-
Engineer	-0-	250.00	250.00	241.74	8.26	-0-
Civil Defense	-0-	15.00	15.00	-0-	15.00	-0-
Civil Defense Equipment	-0-	161.25	161.25	161.25	-0-	-0-
Shellfish and Harbors	-0-	15.09	15.09	-0-	15.09	-0-
Town Hall	-0-	271.06	271.06	271.06	-0-	-0-
Memorial Building	-0-	185.45	185.45	176.45	9.00	-0-
Fire Building	-0-	141.30	141.30	141.30	-0-	-0-
Cemetery Building	-0-	19.71	19.71	19.71	-0-	-0-
Library Building	-0-	7.98	7.98	-0-	7.98	-0-
Highway	-0-	37.50	37.50	37.50	-0-	-0-
Equipment Maintenance	-0-	197.25	197.25	197.25	-0-	-0-
Education	-0-	16,161.46	16,161.46	12,561.66	-0-	3,599.80
Library 1968	-0-	7.48	7.48	7.48	-0-	-0-
Sewer	-0-	10.95	10.95	-0-	10.95	-0-
Sewer Equipment	-0-	144.17	144.17	141.84	2.33	-0-
Transfer		383.58				
Receipt: Chapter 768		7,745.92				
Historic Comm		41.00				
Total	4,872,422.25	256,947.42	5,129,369.67	4,673,051.99	125,426.86	330,890.82

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

For the Year Ending December 31, 1970

General Government

MODERATOR

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	125.00	Salaries	100.00
		Administration	<u>23.00</u>
			123.00
		To Revenue	<u>2.00</u>
	<u>125.00</u>		125.00

SELECTMEN

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	7,845.00	Salaries	6,099.82
Reserve Fund	510.00	Administration	<u>2,244.06</u>
			8,343.88
		To Overlay Surplus	<u>11.12</u>
	<u>8,355.00</u>		8,355.00

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	660.00	Salaries	100.00
		Administration	<u>505.60</u>
			605.60
		To Revenue	<u>54.40</u>
	<u>660.00</u>		660.00

RESERVE FUND

Available:		Transfers:	
Appropriation	20,000.00	Selectmen	510.00
		Town Manager	1,110.00
		Finance Director	1,576.00
		Election & Registrations	2,740.00
		Equipment Maintenance	2,400.00
		Town Garage	150.00
		Fire Building	110.00
		Town Hall	1,097.00
		Library Building	21.00
		Planning Board	5,400.00
		Police	3,047.05
		Health-Dump	1,200.00
		Cemetery	<u>588.00</u>
			19,949.05
		To Overlay Surplus	<u>50.95</u>
	<u>20,000.00</u>		20,000.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES (CONT.)

PLANNING BOARD

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	4,160.00	Salaries	475.20
Reserve Fund	5,400.00	Administration	4,224.67
			<u>4,699.87</u>
		To 1971	3,249.84
		To Overlay Surplus	900.00
		To Revenue	710.29
	<u>9,560.00</u>		<u>9,560.00</u>

ELECTION & REGISTRATION

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	7,600.00	Salaries	8,147.08
Reserve Fund	2,740.00	Administration	1,463.38
			<u>9,610.46</u>
		To Overlay Surplus	729.54
	<u>10,340.00</u>		<u>10,340.00</u>

APPEALS BOARD

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	225.00	Salaries	70.00
		Administration	154.00
			<u>224.00</u>
		To Revenue	1.00
	<u>225.00</u>		<u>225.00</u>

TOWN MANAGER

Available:		Expenditures:	
Balance	17,516.51	Salaries	27,980.28
Appropriation	135,478.00	Administration	9,504.45
Reserve Fund	1,110.00	Supplies & Services	3,408.30
Transfer	832.89	Capital Outlay	
		Codification By-Laws	25.00
		Fire Protection Study	750.00
		Land Purchase	83,000.00
		Land Takings	4,625.00
			<u>129,293.03</u>
		To Overlay Surplus	647.66
		To 1971	24,996.71
	<u>154,937.40</u>		<u>154,937.40</u>

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES (CONT.)

FINANCE DIRECTOR

Available:		Expenditures:	
Balance	384.90	Administration	5,293.13
Appropriation	245,289.00	Package Insurance	57,237.45
Reserve Fund	1,576.00	County Retirement	110,183.82
		Chapter 32 B	37,016.88
		Veterans Pensions	10,576.79
		Capital Outlay	384.90
		Vocational School District	6,174.00
			<u>226,866.97</u>
		Encumbered	277.05
		To Overlay Surplus	505.82
		To Revenue	19,600.06
	<u>247,249.90</u>		<u>247,249.90</u>

ACCOUNTANT

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	24,164.00	Salaries	20,549.08
		Administration	1,712.78
		Capital Outlay	731.38
			<u>22,993.24</u>
		To Revenue	1,170.76
	<u>24,164.00</u>		<u>24,164.00</u>

TREASURER-COLLECTOR

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	27,816.00	Salaries	24,563.13
		Administration	2,953.84
			<u>27,516.97</u>
		To Revenue	299.03
	<u>27,816.00</u>		<u>27,816.00</u>

DEBT SERVICE

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	652,652.00	Payment-Principal	501,000.00
		Interest on Principal	101,642.50
		Interest-Anticipation	36,360.45
		Bond Issue Expense	1,188.49
			<u>640,191.44</u>
		To Revenue	12,460.56
	<u>652,652.00</u>		<u>652,652.00</u>

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES (CONT.)

ASSESSORS

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	25,275.00	Salaries	19,716.03
		Administration	1,977.62
		Capital Outlay	198.00
			<u>21,891.65</u>
		To 1971	1,500.00
		To Revenue	1,883.35
	<u>25,275.00</u>		<u>25,275.00</u>

BILLING

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	23,125.00	Salaries	9,450.76
		Administration	3,630.13
			<u>13,080.89</u>
		Transferred	8,504.00
		To Revenue	1,540.11
	<u>23,125.00</u>		<u>23,125.00</u>

TOWN CLERK

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	11,327.00	Salaries	10,586.35
Balance	310.00	Administration	306.68
		Capital Outlay	310.00
			<u>11,203.03</u>
		To Revenue	433.97
	<u>11,637.00</u>		<u>11,637.00</u>

LEGAL

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	11,975.00	Salaries	10,585.65
		Administration	468.29
			<u>11,053.94</u>
		To Revenue	921.06
	<u>11,975.00</u>		<u>11,975.00</u>

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	115.00	To Revenue	115.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES (CONT.)

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	300.00	To Revenue	300.00
Receipt	<u>41.00</u>	To 1971	<u>41.00</u>
	341.00		341.00

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Available:		Expenditures:	
Balance	2,000.00	Salaries	124.80
Appropriation	420.00	Administration	<u>15.00</u>
			139.80
		To 1971	2,000.00
		To Conservation Fund	223.38
	<u>2,420.00</u>	Encumbered	<u>56.82</u>
			2,420.00

HISTORICAL DISTRICT COMMITTEE

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	<u>225.00</u>	To Revenue	<u>225.00</u>
	225.00		225.00

POLICE

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	191,291.60	Salaries	148,532.13
Reserve Fund	3,047.05	Administration	8,578.42
		Physical Plant	2,503.55
		Supplies & Services	1,161.43
		Equipment	6,180.03
		Patrolman on Leave	6,268.46
		Capital Outlay	<u>6,251.32</u>
			179,475.34
		To Revenue	13,142.44
		To Overlay Surplus	1,102.50
	<u>194,338.65</u>	Encumbered	<u>618.37</u>
			194,338.65

FIRE

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	184,025.00	Salaries	160,712.42
		Administration	3,035.53
		Supplies & Services	3,048.21
		Equipment	6,401.69

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES (CONT.)

FIRE (Cont.)

Available:		Expenditures:	
		Out of State Travel	101.70
		Capital Outlay	<u>4,474.50</u>
			177,774.05
		Encumbered	396.71
		To Revenue	<u>5,854.24</u>
	<u>184,025.00</u>		184,025.00

CIVIL DEFENSE

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	3,430.00	Salaries	1,019.15
		Administration	1,033.42
		Physical Plant	22.39
		Supplies & Services	306.18
		Equipment	9.96
		Capital Outlay	<u>506.04</u>
			2,897.14
		Encumbered	(19.15)
		To Revenue	<u>552.01</u>
	<u>3,430.00</u>		3,430.00

SHELLFISH & HARBORS

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	13,350.00	Salaries	8,200.00
		Administration	592.50
		Supplies & Services	3,795.10
		Capital Outlay	<u>450.00</u>
			13,037.60
		To Revenue	<u>312.40</u>
	<u>13,350.00</u>		13,350.00

HEALTH

Available:		Expenditures:	
Balance	13,000.00	Salaries	13,153.00
Appropriation	83,075.00	Administration	824.02
Reserve Fund	1,200.00	Supplies & Services	78,551.98
Transfer	8,254.00	Capital Outlay	
		Dike	<u>8,169.64</u>
			100,698.64
		To 1971	<u>4,830.36</u>
	<u>105,529.00</u>		105,529.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES (CONT.)

VETERANS

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	109,500.00	Supplies & Services	
		Cash	50,952.48
		Medical	52,733.22
		Groceries	971.00
		Fuel	3,677.74
			<u>108,334.44</u>
		Encumbered	1,165.56
	<u>109,500.00</u>		<u>109,500.00</u>

PUBLIC WORKS ADMINISTRATION

Available:		Expenditures:	
Balance	275.75	Salaries	8,914.07
Appropriation	22,082.00	Administration	3,508.26
		Equipment	374.64
			<u>12,796.97</u>
		To Revenue	9,285.03
		To 1971	275.75
	<u>22,357.75</u>		<u>22,357.75</u>

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	8,140.00	Salaries	6,650.00
		Administration	434.48
			<u>7,084.48</u>
		To Revenue	1,055.52
	<u>8,140.00</u>		<u>8,140.00</u>

TOWN HALL BUILDING

Available:		Expenditures:	
Balance	516.00	Salaries	5,909.04
Appropriation	19,467.00	Physical Plant	5,441.98
Reserve Fund	1,097.00	Capital-Improvement	516.00
Transfer	374.00		<u>11,867.02</u>
		To 1971	9,000.00
		Encumbered	557.00
		To Overlay Surplus	29.98
	<u>21,454.00</u>		<u>21,454.00</u>

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES (CONT.)

MEMORIAL BUILDING

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	8,727.00	Salaries	5,909.04
Transfer	(26.00)	Physical Plant	<u>2,370.16</u>
			8,279.20
		To Revenue	<u>421.80</u>
	<u>8,701.00</u>		8,701.00

SEWAGE PLANT

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	580.00	Physical Plant	536.54
		To 1971	5.15
		To Revenue	<u>38.31</u>
	<u>580.00</u>		580.00

FIRE BUILDING

Available:		Expenditures:	
Balance	847.00	Physical Plant	2,550.42
Appropriation	4,200.00	Capital Outlay	
Reserve Fund	110.00	Equipment	<u>2,606.01</u>
			5,156.43
		To Overlay Surplus	<u>.57</u>
	<u>5,157.00</u>		5,157.00

TOWN GARAGE BUILDING

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	2,400.00	Physical Plant	1,970.91
Reserve Fund	150.00	Capital Outlay	
		Equipment	<u>579.00</u>
			2,549.91
		To Overlay Surplus	<u>.09</u>
	<u>2,550.00</u>		2,550.00

CEMETERY BUILDING

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	600.00	Physical Plant	511.22
		To Revenue	<u>88.78</u>
	<u>600.00</u>		600.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES (CONT.)

PARK BUILDING

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	2,435.00	Physical Plant	2,193.41
		To Revenue	241.59
	<u>2,435.00</u>		<u>2,435.00</u>

LIBRARY BUILDING

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	2,325.00	Physical Plant	2,268.17
Reserve Fund	21.00	Capital Outlay	77.00
			<u>2,345.17</u>
		To Overlay Surplus	.83
	<u>2,346.00</u>		<u>2,346.00</u>

HIGHWAY

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	268,022.00	Salaries	60,494.88
Balance		Administration	964.32
Truck	9,660.00	Physical Plant	32,684.21
Radio Equipment	795.00	Supplies & Services	1,021.89
Guard Rails	622.54	Equipment	198.00
Guard Rails	743.96	Special Items	
Chapter 90 1967	3,709.35	Chapter 90 Maintenance	4,473.87
Chapter 90 1968	20,214.99	Street Lighting	20,400.00
Chapter 90 1969	39,000.00	Capital Outlay-Equipment	
Farley Brook Repiping	25,981.00	Truck	9,650.00
Miles River Improvement	5,000.00	Truck 306 VW	19,537.99
Warner Road Drainage	217.92	Loader-Back	14,976.79
Chapter 768 Grant	7,745.92	Radio Equipment	793.00
Transfer	(579.12)	Capital Outlay Land & Structures	
		Brownville Avenue	6,810.41
		Mt. Pleasant	3,669.88
		Wayne Avenue	78.00
		Lafayette	7,328.05
		Putnam Street	2,979.72
		Prescott Street	4,923.48
		Farragut	651.89
		Sidewalk & Curbs	1,824.24
		Storm Drain	1,655.24
		High Street Drain	494.68
		Guard Rail & Fencing	236.60
		Special Articles	
		Guard Rails	400.00
		Chapter 90 Construction'68	20,103.24
		Chapter 90 Construction'69	38,962.50
		Chapter 90 Construction'70	26,359.99
		Chapter 768 Wayne	2,587.54
		Warner Road Drainage	217.00
			<u>284,477.41</u>
		To Revenue	10,482.32
		To 1971	86,132.18
		Encumbered	41.65
	<u>381,133.56</u>		<u>381,133.56</u>

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES (CONT.)

EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	26,367.00	Salaries	8,334.31
Reserve Fund	2,400.00	Administration	375.33
Transfer	332.40	Supplies & Services	277.63
		Equipment	17,435.05
		Capital Outlay	2,020.00
			<u>28,442.32</u>
		To Overlay Surplus	657.08
	<u>29,099.40</u>		<u>29,099.40</u>

SNOW AND ICE CONTROL

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	36,150.00	Salaries & Wages	17,254.57
		Administration	1,294.00
		Supplies & Services	21,135.64
		Equipment	7,148.00
			<u>46,832.21</u>
		To 1971	(10,682.21)
	<u>36,150.00</u>		<u>36,150.00</u>

FORESTRY

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	45,624.00	Salaries & Wages	29,351.30
Transfer	(263.99)	Administration	988.38
		Supplies & Services	5,228.22
		Equipment	5,725.75
		Capital Outlay	3,467.75
			<u>44,761.40</u>
		To Revenue	598.61
	<u>45,360.01</u>		<u>45,360.01</u>

RECREATION & PARKS

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	67,934.00	Salaries and Wages	37,194.34
Balance		Administration	1,532.70
Daniel Boone Park	436.16	Physical Plant	1,459.84
Linebrook Hottop	500.00	Supplies and Services	13,178.34
Neck Causeway	94.35	Equipment	1,593.85
Great Neck	1,315.06	Out of State Travel	400.00
Fencing Baseball Field	141.00	Capital Outlay	
Resurface Tennis Courts	2,500.00	Playground Equipment	808.75
Transfer	(17.10)	Land and Structures	

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES (CONT.)

RECREATION AND PARKS (Cont.)

Available:

Expenditures:

	Daniel Boone Park	468.60
	Spiril Fencing	98.15
	Finger Piers	300.00
	Boardwalk-Beach	198.60
	Hottop Linebrook	1,350.00
	Neck Causeway	447.00
	Great Neck	2,010.65
	Baseball Fencing	1,200.00
	Tennis Court Resurfacing	7,047.34
		<u>69,288.16</u>
	To Revenue	1,012.65
	To 1971	<u>2,602.66</u>
		72,903.47
72,903.47		

CEMETERIES

Available:

Expenditures:

Appropriation	50,520.00	Salaries & Wages	33,956.86
Reserve Fund	588.00	Administration	942.70
Balance-Snow Blower	1,500.00	Physical Plant	8,310.96
Water Line	650.00	Supplies & Services	591.83
Transfer	(80.00)	Equipment	2,000.88
		Capital Outlay Equipment	
		Snow Blower	2,003.95
		Capital Outlay-Land and Structures	
		Hottop Avenue	3,495.86
		Water Line	<u>174.20</u>
			51,477.24
		To Overlay Surplus	588.00
		To Revenue	<u>1,112.76</u>
			53,178.00
53,178.00			

EDUCATION

Available:

Expenditures:

Appropriation	2,296,177.65	Administration	60,217.75
		Instruction	1,666,097.68
		Other School Service	234,951.77
		Operation & Maintenance	229,945.55
		Fixed Charges	24,261.00
		Acquisition Fixed Assets	22,714.68
		Programs with other Schools	<u>9,483.59</u>
			2,247,672.02
		To Revenue	31,897.21
		Encumbered	<u>16,608.42</u>
			2,296,177.65
2,296,177.65			

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES (CONT.)

OTHER SCHOOL

Available:		Expenditures:	
Balance		Elementary School Addition	262.10
Construction Plans	595.15	Preliminary Plans-H. S.	<u>14,249.53</u>
Elementary School Addition	12,886.27		14,511.63
Elementary School Constr.	788.02	To 1971	18,404.81
Preliminary Plans H. S.	13,000.00		
Vocational Dist. Planning	500.00		
Regional Dist. Comm.	3,147.00		
Appropriation -preliminary Plans	<u>2,000.00</u>		
	32,916.44		<u>32,916.44</u>

LIBRARY

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	57,419.00	Salaries and Wages	41,212.50
Balance	100.00	Administration	640.62
		Supplies and Services	13,823.00
		Capital Outlay	<u>98.00</u>
			55,774.12
		To Revenue	<u>1,744.88</u>
	<u>57,519.00</u>		57,519.00

UNCLASSIFIED

Available:		Expenditures:	
Balance	1,263.34	Ipswich Promotion	1,388.22
Appropriation	35,700.00	Stabilization Fund	
		Transfer to Savings	35,000.00
		Unpaid Bills	<u>394.26</u>
			36,782.48
		To Revenue	142.27
		To 1971	<u>38.59</u>
	<u>36,963.34</u>		36,963.34

SEWER OPERATIONS

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	32,105.00	Salaries and Wages	15,807.94
Transfer	(49.40)	Administration	377.32
		Physical Plant	368.25
		Supplies and Services	4,926.48
		Equipment	<u>8,507.00</u>
			29,986.99
		To Revenue	<u>2,068.61</u>
	<u>32,055.60</u>		32,055.60

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES (CONT.)

SEWER CONSTRUCTION

Available:		Expenditures:	
Appropriation	118,000.00	Wharf Area	5,247.27
Balance		Treatment Plant	3,006.36
Treatment Plant	5,469.88	Topsfield Road	281.00
High and Lord Square	33.39	North Main	679.60
Topsfield Road	19,409.00	Article 15 ATM 1969	2,591.17
	(18,000.00)	Treatment Plant	
North Main Street	5,449.65	Addition	6,750.00
Matching Fund	7,000.00		18,555.40
Const. Art. 15 ATM 1969	4,637.23	To 1971	130,193.75
Treatment Plant Addition	6,750.00		
	<u>148,749.15</u>		<u>148,749.15</u>

ENCUMBERED-1969

Available:		Expenditures:	
Balance	19,816.80	Planning Board	7.00
		Election & Registration	880.00
		Town Manager	1,022.34
		Finance Director	178.15
		Accountant	70.55
		Engineer	241.74
		Civil Defense	161.25
		Town Hall	271.06
		Memorial Building	176.45
		Fire Building	141.30
		Cemetery Building	19.71
		Highway	37.50
		Equipment Maintenance	197.25
		Education	12,561.66
		Sewer	141.84
		Library	7.48
			<u>16,115.28</u>
		To Revenue	101.72
		To 1971	3,599.80
	<u>19,816.80</u>		<u>19,816.80</u>

DETAILED STATEMENT OF TAXES
GEORGE C. MOURIKAS, COLLECTOR

	OUTSTANDING JAN. 1, 1970	COMMITMENTS	REFUNDS	COLLECTIONS	ABATIMENTS	TAX TITLE	OUTSTANDING DEC. 31, 1970
TAXES:							
Personal Property 1964	420.30			350.00	70.30		None
Personal Property 1966	333.30			51.15	179.85		102.30
Personal Property 1967	1,080.09			28.13	336.57		715.39
Personal Property 1968	1,518.60			53.75	857.85		607.00
Personal Property 1969	6,638.03		38.40	3,596.13	926.40		2,153.90
Personal Property 1970		92,672.11	33.60	84,204.76	1,414.28		7,086.67
Real Estate 1968	7,552.75		666.07	6,239.76	1,960.14	18.92	None
Real Estate 1969	108,255.26		2,149.12	94,634.08	4,589.47		11,180.83
Real Estate 1970		3,429,962.93	10,777.86	3,201,916.35	106,314.82	992.04	131,517.58
Real Estate 1971				3,640.00			

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WATER LIENS ADDED TO TAXES:

Levy of 1969	1,875.24	54.50	1,786.09	54.50			89.15
Levy of 1970		10,406.90	429.95	7,939.84	65.70		2,831.31

SEWER RENTAL LIEN ADDED TO TAXES:

Levy of 1968	73.75		73.75				None
Levy of 1969	29.02		29.02				None
Levy of 1970		7,643.01	94.35	5,107.29	199.66		2,430.41

DETAILED STATEMENT OF TAXES
GEORGE C. MOURIKAS, COLLECTOR

OUTSTANDING
JAN. 1, 1970

OUTSTANDING
DEC. 31, 1970

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS:

Sewer Assessment Added to Taxes:

Levy of 1968	86.25	86.25			None
Levy of 1969	935.91	702.73	141.51		91.67
Levy of 1970		13,688.31	232.38		1,247.67

Committed Interest:

Levy of 1968	112.74	112.74			None
Levy of 1969	1,041.25	652.64	207.16		181.45
Levy of 1970		7,437.25	293.87		691.23

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MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE:

Levy of 1962	83.90				83.90
Levy of 1963	241.74	28.07	36.58		177.09
Levy of 1964	1,666.24	12.10	85.50		1,568.64
Levy of 1965	4,144.97	398.88	128.44		3,617.65
Levy of 1966	4,835.75	845.07	684.72		3,305.96
Levy of 1967	7,468.72	841.08	1,413.31		5,214.33
Levy of 1968	8,277.12	943.02	1,116.04		6,218.06
Levy of 1969	29,483.59	20,310.82	38,098.77	10,931.14	4,230.66
Levy of 1970		294,933.23	235,189.66	16,448.80	46,724.35

FARM ANIMAL EXCISE:

Levy of 1967	12.00				12.00
Levy of 1968	57.00				57.00
Levy of 1969	60.50	20.00			40.50
Levy of 1970		141.30	121.30		20.00

DEPARTMENTAL ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE
GEORGE C. MOURIKAS, COLLECTOR

DEPARTMENT	OUTSTANDING		COMMITMENTS	COLLECTIONS	ABATEMENTS	REFUNDS	DISCOUNTS	OUTSTANDING DEC. 31, 1970
	JAN. 1, 1970							
Town Property	496.00		6,969.46	7,215.46				250.00
Health	172.14		1,140.00	1,140.00				172.14
Highway	461.82		62.00	62.00				461.82
Highway Machinery	127.39		180.00	180.00				127.39
Old Age Assistance	1,132.27				1,132.27			None
Medical Assistance	(5,542.53)			308.18				(5,234.35)
Veterans Benefits	24,883.03		34,683.93	45,415.60	749.02			13,402.34
Education	4,193.00		13,275.00	12,785.00	2,135.00	210.00		2,758.00
Engineering	45.00							45.00
Cemetery	1,043.00		11,858.40	11,883.10	168.00	168.00		1,018.30
Town Manager	122.70		85.00		207.70			None
Fire Department			40.00	40.00				None

STATEMENT OF MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

GEORGE C. MOURIKAS, TREASURER

DATE OF ISSUE	PURPOSE	DATE OF MATURITY	BALANCE DEC. 31, 1970
1955	School Loan	October 1, 1975	100,000
1955	School Project Loan	October 1, 1975	50,000
1956	Electric	December 1, 1974	45,000
1956	Water Bonds	September 1, 1975	25,000
1958	Sewerage Loan	October 1, 1987	340,000
1959	Electric	December 1, 1978	48,000
1961	Electric	December 1, 1975	50,000
1961	Sewer	November 1, 1976	30,000
1961	Water	November 1, 1976	110,000
1961	School Project Loan	November 1, 1971	45,000
1962	School Project Loan	July 1, 1972	145,000
1962	Sewer Bonds	July 1, 1972	10,000
1963	School Project Loan	August 15, 1973	13,000
1963	Sewer Loan	November 1, 1973	7,000
1964	Water Storage Loan	February 15, 1974	20,000
1964	Sewer	May 15, 1975	24,000
1964	Water	May 15, 1979	100,000
1964	School Project Loan	August 1, 1974	198,000
1965	Sewer	December 1, 1975	55,000
1966	Sewer	August 1, 1976	143,000
1967	Remodeling	December 1, 1972	20,000
1967	School Project Loan	December 1, 1972	40,000
1968	Sewer	August 1, 1978	95,000
1968	Water	August 1, 1978	170,000
1969	Reservoir	August 15, 1977	35,000
1969	Sewer	August 15, 1974	35,000
1969	Water	August 15, 1984	95,000
1969	Electric	August 15, 1989	210,000
1970	Water	September 1, 1975	68,000
1970	Sewer	September 1, 1975	100,000

TOTAL: \$ 2,426,000

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF TRUST FUNDS
IN CUSTODY OF TOWN TREASURER

NAME OF FUND	BALANCE	BEQUESTS OR TRANSFERS	INCOME OR TRANSFERS	WITHDRAWALS	BALANCE
	JAN. 1, 1970				DEC. 31, 1970
Cemeteries:					
Perpetual Care Bequests	\$ 110,258.88	\$ 2,675.00	\$ 3,737.20	\$ 3,441.65	\$ 113,229.43
Perpetual Care Income	19,782.18		7,871.96	12,975.00	14,679.14
Flower Fund	5,175.00		276.53	276.53	5,175.00
Flower Fund Income	794.64		322.79	500.00	617.43
Hannah C. Clark	628.72		48.44	55.00	622.16
Appleton Memorial Fountain	393.99		21.46		415.45
Mrs. William G. Brown	3,878.56		211.43		4,089.99
Eunice Caldwell Cowles	10,200.41		550.61	400.00	10,351.02
Dow Boulder Memorial	324.98		17.69		342.67
Marianna T. Jones	1,859.84		101.36		1,961.20
John C. Kimball	646.54		35.21		681.75
Mark Newman Memorial	7,469.68		407.20		7,876.88
Martha I. Savory	686.34		34.47		686.34
Stabilization	104,395.61		41,795.64		145,191.25
Post War Rehabilitation	3,060.36		166.82		3,227.18
Richard T. Crane, Jr. Picnic	261.38		5,918.14	3,633.32	2,546.40
School Grounds Improvement	65.46		.87	66.33	None
Electric Light Depreciation	49,751.73		2,256.54	34,727.05	17,281.22
Electric Light Deposit Regular	15,961.62		5,497.38		21,459.00
Electric Light Summer	4,387.99		58.95	4,446.94	None
Conservation Commission	31,947.11		1,741.67		33,688.78

Details of the above Trust Funds are
Available at the Town Treasurer's Office

Eleanor B. Pearson
Edmund H. Kelleher

Charles E. Goodhue, Jr.
George C. Mourikas, Treasurer
Trust Fund Commissioners

IPSWICH PUBLIC LIBRARY

TRUST FUNDS - 1970

TRUSTEES OF MANNING SCHOOL FUNDS

M. Charles Arthur, William H. Burnham, Jr., Charles E. Goodhue, Jr.,
Donald F. Whiston, David C. Williams.

Fund	Book Value	Market Value	Lower of Cost or Market	1970	
				Income	
Treadwell	\$16,063.22	\$37,431.85	\$14,658.44	\$1,415.73	
Heard	10,057.96	17,336.72	8,753.96	721.76	
Lathrop	1,854.90	1,854.90	1,854.90	104.45	
Spiller	1,812.05	1,553.30	1,553.30	87.68	
Newman	4,804.20	4,559.20	4,559.20	250.47	
Building	13,462.60	12,958.85	12,958.85	715.92	
Memorial Book	575.73	575.73	575.73	20.73	
Total 1970	\$48,630.66	\$76,772.55	\$44,914.38	\$7,316.73	
Total 1969	48,144.06	73,757.21	43,655.39	3,078.29	
Increase(decrease)	486.60	3,015.34	1,258.99	238.44	

Less Disbursements:
Rental of Safe Deposit Box \$ 5.00
Supplies for Ipswich School Dept. 1016.09

1,021.09
\$75,585.75

ASSETS IN FUNDS

December 31, 1970

Balance in Account #14293, Ipswich Savings Bank \$51,119.80
Balance in Account #7884 " 24,173.75
Balance in Account #1995, Ipswich Cooperative Bank 292.20

\$75,585.75

Securities at book value

138 Shares First National Bank, Boston \$2,998.20
20 Shares Ipswich Cooperative Bank 4,000.00

6,998.20
\$82,583.95

Report submitted by David C. Williams, Treasurer

Operating Statement - 1970

Income - Town Appropriation	\$55,000.62
Books Lost - Sold	245.04
Donations	2.00
Pines	1,247.92
Photocopy	660.50
Trust Funds	3,316.73
Expense- Salaries & Wages	41,471.43
Telephone	340.95
Postage	344.05
Tuition	483.00
Books, Meeting, Travel	297.37
Office & Equipment Maintenance	28.94
Supplies	1,501.67
Books	14,616.10
Periodicals	419.67
Records	24.63
Equipment	248.17
Financial Services	140.40

Operating Gain

Less: Fund income not available for operations

Net Surplus

59,916.38

1,356.43

271.20

\$ 1,085.23

D. W. Peot, Jr.
Treasurer

D&P:arr
1-20-71

BURLEY EDUCATION FUND

INVESTED FUNDS AS OF JANUARY 1, 1971:

Deposited in the Salem Savings Bank
 " " " Salem Five Cents Savings Bank
 " " " Ipswich Savings Bank (Caldwell Fund)
 " " " Ipswich Savings Bank
 Ipswich Co-operative Bank - Paid Up Certificate

\$ 2,161.74
 1,916.66
 3,805.17
 3,108.46
1,000.00
 \$11,992.03

INCOME FROM FUNDS FOR THE YEAR 1970 AS FOLLOWS:

Interest - Salem Savings Bank
 " Salem Five Cents Savings Bank
 " Ipswich Savings Bank (Caldwell Fund)
 " Ipswich Savings Bank
 Dividend - Ipswich Co-operative Bank

113.63
 115.51
 228.08
 185.05
68.13
 710.43

EXPENDITURES:

Safe Deposit Box Rent
 1 Kodak Carousel Projector

\$ 5.00
 120.00

NET INCOME

\$585.43

Financial Statement

Balance January 1, 1970
 Cash received 1970

\$ 4,642.48
 85,289.90
 90,132.38
 85,159.51
 \$ 4,972.87

Expenditures 1970

Balance December 31, 1970

Little Neck, Valued at
 Store Building
 Barn
 Wharf
 Cash in First Nat'l Bank, Ipswich
 On deposit Ipswich Savings Bank
 Interest 1970
 On deposit Ipswich Savings Bank
 Farm Account
 Interest 1970
 On deposit Ipswich Savings Bank
 Special Notice Account
 Interest 1970
 On deposit Ipswich Co-Op Bank
 Interest and dividends

\$97,500.00
 4,600.00
 1,090.00
 1,019.00
 4,972.87
 4,595.91
 271.72
 5,206.84
 404.03
 5,610.87
 2,591.69
 209.95
 11,733.84
 929.83
 12,663.67

117 Sh 1st Nat. Boston Corp
 140 Sh Shawmut Ass'n Corp
 Ipswich Co-Op Bank paid-up
 Certificate

Cost
 2,748.18
 2,748.63
 2,000.00
 7,496.81
 Present Value
 7,722.00
 7,070.00
 2,000.00
 16,792.00
 \$151,917.68

\$7,500 was paid to the Town for support of schools

The following taxes were paid to the Town of Ipswich:

Land	Assessed Value	97,500.00	5,460.00
Store	"	4,600.00	257.60
Barn	"	1,090.00	61.04
Wharf	"	1,019.00	57.06
Cottages	"	1,086,540.00	60,846.24
			\$66,681.94

Feoffees of the Grammar School

Respectfully submitted,

BURLEY EDUCATION FUND

Wilmot E. Hall
 Wilmot E. Hall, Treasurer

COMPARATIVE TAX STRUCTURE STATEMENT

	<u>1969</u>	<u>1970</u>
A. Total appropriation to be raised by taxation.	4,145,086.95	4,787,593.00
Total appropriation to be taken from available funds.	360,200.00	188,894.22
B. State requirements:		
Parks and reservations.	14,095.80	14,770.98
Motor Vehicle Excise Bills	1,024.95	1,031.10
State Assessment System	398.20	398.20
Water Shed District		944.46
Mosquito Control District	8,972.00	8,972.00
Mass. Bay Trans. Authority		2,729.82
Audit	1,268.92	5,602.32
Met. Area Council	420.70	492.50
Underestimates of Previous Years		
Parks and Reservations	1,061.87	285.24
Water Shed District		415.79
Mosquito Control		187.51
	<hr/> 28,788.26	<hr/> 35,829.92
C. County Requirement	80,320.40	99,119.60
D. Overlay	139,142.41	130,821.25
E. Gross Amount to be raised	4,811,852.32	5,287,343.72
F. Total estimated receipts & available funds.	1,878,713.25	1,764,913.09
G. Net amount to be raised by taxation:		
Personal Property	85,578.67	92,467.70
Real Estate	2,847,560.40	3,429,962.93
Total amount to be raised by taxation.	<hr/> 2,933,139.07	<hr/> 3,522,430.63
Sewer Betterments	18,112.14	21,106.66
Water Liens	11,823.44	10,406.90
	<hr/> 2,963,074.65	<hr/> 3,553,944.19
Committed to Collector		
H. Assessed Valuation:		
Real Estate	59,324,175.00	61,249,338.00
Personal Property	1,782,889.00	1,651,209.00
	<hr/> 61,107,064.00	<hr/> 62,900,547.00
I. Tax Rate	48.00	56.00

STATEMENT OF 1970 ASSESSMENTS

1970 Tax Rate

\$56. per \$1000.

Number of Parcels Assessed:

Personal Estate	-----	558
Real Estate	-----	4203
Farm Animal Excise	-----	8
Total	-----	4769

Value of Assessed Personal Estate:

Stock in Trade	-----	\$ 215,093.00
Machinery	-----	210,792.00
Live Stock	-----	51,162.00
All Other Tangible Personal Property	-----	1,174,162.00

Total	-----	\$ 1,651,209.00
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Value of Assessed Real Estate:

Land exclusive of Buildings	-----	\$ 13,808,053.00
Buildings exclusive of Land	-----	47,441,285.00

Total	-----	\$ 61,249,338.00
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Total Value of Assessed Estate	-----	\$ 62,900,547.00
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Total Taxes Assessed for State, County and
Town Purposes including Overlay:

Personal Estate	-----	\$ 92,467.70
Real Estate	-----	3,429,962.93

Total Taxes Assessed	-----	\$ 3,522,430.63
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Number of Livestock Assessed:

	<u>General</u>	<u>Farm Animals</u>
Horses	----- 65	6
Cows	----- 96	73
Bulls, Oxen, Yearlings, Steers, Heifers	----- 21	2
Swine	-----	110
Sheep	----- 2	20
Fowl	----- 29	1000
All Other	----- 18	8760

Number of Acres of Land Assessed	-----	17730
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Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	-----	3295
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WATER DEPARTMENT
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1970

<u>ASSETS</u>		<u>LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS</u>	
<u>Current Assets:</u>		<u>Liabilities:</u>	
Cash:		Bonds Payable:	378,000.00
Surplus	33,329.47	<u>Surplus:</u>	
Operations-Encumbered 1970	20,000.00	Profit or Loss	26,129.83
Plant Investment-1968	2,425.15	Town Contribution	416,505.58
Construction-1970	32,302.52	Campanelli Cont.	46,000.00
Dow's Brook Reservoir	1,383.67	APW Mass. 71-G Cont.	179,544.52
Water Main Construction	8,186.71	Property Account	803,308.27
	<u>97,627.52</u>	Electric Contribution	<u>39,338.91</u>
Accounts Receivable:			1,510,827.11
Rates & Services	30,761.30		
Added to Taxes	2,702.16		
	<u>33,463.46</u>		
Materials & Supplies	30,775.88		
Total Current Assets	<u>161,866.86</u>		
<u>Fixed Assets:</u>			
Engineering	48,507.23		
Land	20,249.72		
New Well System	129,004.72		
Pumping Station	65,555.36		
Reservoirs & Standpipes	436,627.27		
Storage Basins	27,693.59		
Dist. Reservoirs	135,112.64		
Departmental Buildings	5,222.56		
Store House	2,174.83		
Pumps & Pumping Equip.	68,863.17		
Purification System	6,062.69		
Pipe Lines & Dist. Mains	1,162,175.70		
Service Pipes	211,088.55		
Meters	75,428.61		
Consumers Meters Installed	1,750.40		
Hydrants	40,099.26		
Misc. Expenditures	1,912.10		
Office Equipment	6,830.80		
Shop Equipment	8,512.07		
Stores Equipment	68.26		
Trans. Equip.	40,534.44		
Misc. Equipment	15,194.35		
	<u>2,508,668.32</u>		
Less Reserve for Deprec.	781,708.07		
	<u>1,726,960.25</u>		
Total Assets:	<u>1,888,827.11</u>		<u>1,888,827.11</u>

WATER DEPARTMENT

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES

For the Year Ending December 31, 1970

EXPENSES:

Operating:	
Maintenance:	
Supply Structures	210.13
Reservoirs	91.60
Pumping Station Supplies	2,939.40
Pumping Building	325.28
Pumping Equipment	2,755.50
Inspection of Meters	94.29
Mains	6,862.49
Standpipes	66.16
Services	11,122.38
Meters	1,014.43
Hydrants	4,375.64
Electricity Purchased	9,977.18
Purification Supplies	
and Expenses	1,846.05
General Labor	<u>15,087.01</u>
	56,767.54

Administrative:

General Office Salaries	23,675.87
General Office Supplies	
and Expenses	3,477.92
Insurance	1,974.96
Transportation	4,674.53
Maintenance:	
General Structures	763.24
Depreciation	57,740.01
Pensions	4,678.56
Interest on Bonds	13,208.00
Misc. General Expenses	<u>362.43</u>
	110,555.52

Total Expenses: 167,323.06

Profit of (Loss) 62,747.16

230,070.22

SALES:

Metered	216,877.26
Flat Rate	15,307.50
Sale of Supplies	6,216.02
Rent from Water Meters	2,586.39
Tap-in Charges	690.00
Application Charges	3,700.00
Misc. Non-Operating	
Income	<u>3,013.74</u>
Total Sales	248,390.91
Less Discounts	17,545.00
Abatements	<u>775.69</u>

230,070.22

ELECTRIC LIGHT DEPARTMENT
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1970

ASSETS:

Current Assets:

Cash:	
Petty	75.00
Depreciation	7,960.83
Construction	164.33
Plant-Art. 10, ATM 1969	143,939.32
Surplus	42,200.90
Special Deposits	<u>13,649.88</u>
	207,990.26
Accounts Receivable	131,476.56
Inventory:	
Fuel Oil	18,049.40
Lubricants	433.04
Materials & Supplies	<u>28,323.82</u>
	<u>46,806.26</u>
Total Current Assets	386,273.08

Fixed Assets:

Land & Land Rights	841.20
Power Structures	115,366.15
Fuel Holders	9,336.48
Prime Movers	1,115,411.68
Generators	35,766.78
Accessory Elec. Equip.	78,089.22
Misc. Power Plant Equip.	16,379.35
Land & Land Rights	17,706.60
Land Clearing	4,428.00
Trans.-Poles & Fixtures	42,584.49
Trans.-Overhead Conductors	26,691.33
Distrib.-Sta. Equip.	561,526.09
Poles & Fixtures	263,430.10
Overhead Conductors	299,657.13
Underground Conduits	40,897.04
Underground Conductors	54,454.83
Line Trans. & Regulator	278,545.69
Services	39,421.22
Meters	111,489.16
Meter Installations	1,291.48
Street Lighting	82,490.68
Outdoor Private Lighting	2,972.62
General Structures	69,217.00
Equipment:	
Office	19,085.11
Transportation	111,910.25
Shop	6,358.89
Laboratory	3,373.88
Communication	<u>6,437.86</u>
Total Fixed Assets	3,415,160.31
Less Reserve for Deprec.	<u>1,293,614.65</u>
	2,121,545.66

Total Assets 2,507,818.74

LIABILITIES & SURPLUS.

Liabilities:

Bonds Payable	353,000.00
Customers' Deposits	13,649.88
Interest Accrued	<u>5,538.87</u>
	372,188.75

Surplus:

Loans Repayment	759,000.00
Construction Contrib.	9,315.84
Unappropriated Earned	
Surplus	<u>1,367,314.15</u>
	2,135,629.99

Total Liab. & Sur. 2,507,818.74

ELECTRIC LIGHT DEPARTMENT
STATEMENT of INCOME and EXPENSE
For the Year Ending December 31, 1970

Expenses:

Generating:	
Operation, Supervision and Engineering	12,000.00
Fuel	195,130.96
Generation Expense:	
Labor	87,562.27
Lubricants	8,509.64
Maintenance:	
Supervision & Engineering	11,258.01
Structures - Power	6,216.77
Generator & Elec. Equip.	24,130.13
Misc. Other Expenses	4,365.29
	<u>349,173.07</u>

Other Power Supply:	
Purchased Power	239,505.40

Distribution:	
Overhead Trans. Lines	385.71
Overhead Lines Exp.	3,336.38
Underground Lines Exp.	144.27
Meter Expenses	9,347.90

Maintenance:	
Maint., Supv. & Eng.	2,846.19
Dist. Station Equip.	734.82
Overhead Lines	68,647.43
Underground Lines	1,399.38
Street Lighting	6,090.43
Misc. Expenses	8,280.13
	<u>101,212.64</u>

Customers Accounts Receivable:	
Supervision	7,929.24
Meter Reading	7,314.13
Records & Collections	23,577.23
	<u>38,820.60</u>

Administrative & General:	
Salaries	24,148.14
Office Supplies & Expense	2,693.30
Outside Services	3,188.04
Property Insurance:	
General	1,800.00
Power	6,000.00
Injuries & Damages:	
General	2,700.00
Power	2,199.96
Employees Pensions	23,967.60
Maint. General Plant	1,884.19
Transportation	6,485.87
Depreciation	95,284.00
Interest on Bonds	18,096.02
Misc. General Expense	5,452.97
Interest Refunds	202.60
	<u>194,102.69</u>

Total Expenses	922,814.40
Net Profit	142,955.01
	<u>1,065,769.41</u>

Sales:

Residential	521,088.42
Home Heating	23,041.34
Apartment Heating	30,641.17
Commercial	175,120.66
Industrial	186,358.08
Commercial Heating	1,162.86
Street Lighting	20,400.00
Municipal Buildings	36,379.44
Private Area Lighting	1,113.50
Sales for Resale	111,334.72
Misc. Service Rev.	70.00
Other Electric Rev.	11,871.02
	<u>1,118,581.21</u>
Less Disc. & Abate.	59,152.90
Net Sales	<u>1,059,428.31</u>

Other Income:

Interest:	
On Depreciation Fund	2,385.55
On Bond Issue	3,955.55
Total Other Income	<u>6,341.10</u>

1,065,769.41

Diagnosis and therapy - Consultation with teachers, parents and staff; group work with parents of children with problems.

- h. Health - School physician and two registered nurses. Emergency treatment, examinations and tests.
- i. Family services - Two social-work consultants for family counseling, liason between home and school on cases.
- j. Physical, visual and auditory problems - Tutoring arrangements provided.

Summary:

Ipswich understands and accepts fully its responsibility to all school children - the gifted and the average; the eager learner and the unmotivated; the unfettered and the handicapped. Our programs for children with learning problems have been recognized as exemplary and the Pupil Personnel organization is a model for the area.

Our emphasis now is on consolidating and improving these services with the cooperation of the Ipswich School Committee and all segments of the school system.

ENROLLMENT CHART - OCTOBER 1, 1970

GRADE	K	Non-gr.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	P.G.	Sp. Ed.	TOTAL
Doyon	76		73	72	74	53	79	114								20	561
Burley			49	50	56	54											209
Shatswell		204															204
St. Stanislaus			37														37
Winthrop					105	96	127	59									387
Boone Hall	111																111
Memorial Bldg. School								52									52
Junior High									216	217						7	440
Senior High											220	180	197	174	2		773
TOTALS	187	204	159	122	235	203	206	225	216	217	220	180	197	174	2	27	2774

ENROLLMENT CHART BY GRADES 1965 - 1970

GRADE	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970
K			71	206	216	187
Nongraded Primary						204
1	189	193	190	200	225	159
2	188	192	188	190	229	122
3	173	191	202	193	188	235
4	195	178	196	211	195	203
5	175	200	188	204	214	206
6	189	182	203	198	218	225
7	179	193	187	219	226	216
8	188	188	191	180	228	217
9	153	191	191	185	185	220
10	137	139	189	189	195	180
11	140	120	135	198	183	197
12	130	143	122	133	185	174
P.G.			1	2	1	2
Sp. Ed.	12	29	31	23	27	27
TOTALS	2048	2139	2285	2531	2715	2774

DISTRIBUTION OF MINORS

	Boys	Girls	Total
In public school membership*	1,416	1,358	2,774
In Vocational School membership	16	2	18
In private school membership (schools out of town)	33	42	75
Private Kindergartens and Nursery schools (in town)	2	1	3
In State and County Institutions and special schools for defectives and delinquents	6	5	11
	1,473	1,408	2,881

EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES ISSUED TO MINORS - 1970

	Age 14-16	Age 16-18	TOTAL
Boys	19	26	45
Girls	9	43	52

* In public school membership includes 6 boys and 5 girls for a total of 11 that reside in towns other than Ipswich. (Tuition in students)

EXPENDITURE STATEMENT - PUBLIC SCHOOLS

I.	Administration and Instruction				\$ 1,726,250.
	Includes salaries of Superintendent, Administrators, Professional staff, Secretaries, Instructional materials				
II.	Other School Services				235,057.
	Includes transportation, cafeteria salaries, nurses' salaries, health services, athletics				
III.	Operation and Maintenance of Plant				229,906.
	Includes salaries for custodians, custodial supplies, utility expenses (fuel, electricity, telephone, gas, water, sewer), building maintenance, maintenance of equipment				
IV.	Fixed Charges				24,261.
	Includes fire and extended coverage, Workman's Compensation, rental fees (Superintendent's Office, Boone Hall, St. Stanislaus)				
V.	Acquisition of Fixed Assets				22,715.
	Includes purchase of equipment (classroom furniture, office equipment, audio-visual etc.)				
VI.	Programs with other Districts				9,483.
	Includes tuition of residents attending schools outside of Ipswich (Adult education, Vocational and Physically Handicapped)				
VII.	Grand Total Expenditures 1970				2,247,672.
VIII.	Encumbrances to be brought forward				16,608.
IX.	School Budget Returned to Revenue				31,897.
X.	Expenditures from 1969 funds in 1970				12,562.
XI.	Athletic Receipts Account				
	Balance 1/1/70	\$ 1,585.47			
	Receipts in 1970	10,055.94			
	Expenditures	10,444.10			
	Balance 12/31/70	1,197.31			
XII.	Comparative Totals				
	1969 Expenditures	\$1,978,510.00			
	1968 Expenditures	\$1,702,743.79			
	1967 Expenditures	\$1,444,202.98			
XIII.	Revenues				
		1968	1969	1970	1971
	Chapter 70	\$191,669.38	\$170,928.30	\$412,601.98	\$569,879.86
	Chapter 69-71	19,487.00	28,025.00	31,812.00	34,993.00
	Vocational Ed.	1,375.00	1,287.00	5,700.00	6,270.00
	Tuition & Trans.	10,922.00	1,022.82	6,182.61	6,800.87
	State Wards				
	School Trans.	78,874.94	86,993.27	73,046.92	80,351.61
	School Lunch			37,022.01	40,000.00
	School Construction			89,337.06	
	Title I ESEA	7,668.00	9,384.00	9,241.00	9,200.00
	Title II ESEA	-0-	-0-	1,591.57	1,600.00
	Title III NDEA	511.00	2,714.74	5,704.86	
	Title V NDEA	507.00	2,838.00	1,428.45	
	Title VI ESEA	1,500.00	2,781.50	7,900.00	
	Revenues from local sources			5,111.53	5,000.00
	Revenues from other districts			12,740.00	12,700.00
	Feoffees	6,000.00	6,000.00	7,500.00	7,500.00
	Report on Public Law 874 Title I				
	Balance 1/1/70	\$24,513.56			
	Received in 1970	\$15,791.00			
	Expended 1970 Transferred to Education	\$24,513.00			
	Balance 12/31/70	\$15,791.56			

PROCESSIONAL	Mrs. Joanne McMahon Perry Joslin
INVOCATION	Rev. John Govostes
CLASS ORATOR	Stephan Sheridan Perkins
SALUTATORIAN	Danielle Marie Soroka
VALEDICTORIAN	M. D. Lynn Appleton
A.F.S. STUDENT FROM SWITZERLAND	Margrit Nikolaja Durrer
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS	John H. Stella
PRESENTATION OF SCHOLARSHIPS & PRIZES	Joseph R. Rogers, Principal
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS	George J. Geanakos, Chairman Ipswich School Committee
STAR SPANGLED BANNER	Entire Assembly
BENEDICTION	Bro. Robert Russell
RECESSIONAL	Mrs. Joanne McMahon Perry Joslin

Francis James Amaro, Jr.
† Stephanie Paula Antkowiak
* M. D. Lynn Appleton
Dan Yale Atherton
Weymouth Malcolm Atkinson, Jr.
† Donald Emery Baker
† Mary Lucy Bamford
Sandra Anne Bamford
* Sheila Gale Bamford
Susan Elizabeth Barton
Glenn Arthur Bayley
John Louis Belbute
Marcia Lynn Bennett
* Leslie Ann Beyer
* David John Bialek
† Barbara Ann Boddaert
Joseph H. S. Borysthen-Tkacz
† Ada Kathleen Brennan
Ruben Britt, Jr.
† Brigit Ann Britton
Kenneth William Bronk
Elizabeth Cecile Brown
* Carol Anne Bruni
Sharon Ann Buchanan
Edward Allan Burke
Anita Joyce Butterfield
Christine Mary Callahan
Jeffrey Charles Camacho
Marcia Mae Campbell
† Mark Stanley Caren
† Charles Henry Carolan
Michael Winfield Chapman
Gary Dominic Ciavola
Lawrence Moody Collins
Robert Ernest Comeau
Gerald W. Como
Marie Ann Cook
Patricia Ellen Copeley
Harold William Costopulos
John Costoplus, Jr.
Jean Elizabeth Courage
† Nancy Jane Courage

† Diane Kanozak
Marlene Kapsalis
Darlene Marie Kelley
Richard Michael Kelley
Michael David Kingman
Deborah Ellen Knight
* Marcia Ann Knowlton
Richard Dana Knowlton
† Barry John Kotek
Cinda B. Kozazcki
Donna Ellen Koziol
Ernest Peter Landry
Suzanne Lawrence
† Diane Rita Lemire
Margaret Mary Lezon
* Lizabeth Marie Long
† Julia Gale MacMillan
Georgio Magnani
Louis Nicholas Markos
Richard Peter Martel
Carl Thomas Mattarocchia
David Joseph McConologue
Kathleen Claire McConologue
Veronica Katherine McParland
† Roland Michael McSweeney
William Berpy Merry
Paul David Messelaar
Teresa Marion Milazewski
Evelyn Mary Mistkowski
Jane Marie Moon
Ronald Howard Moon
Neal William Nicholson
† Paula Jane Nicholson
* Nancy Anne Nylen
† Ellen Sandra Pappas
George Michael Pappas
James Alexander Pappas
† Harris Franklin Penniman, Jr.
* Stephen Sheridan Perkins
† John Paul Petrowicz
* Ruth Piechowiec
* Susan Joan Plotner

Robert Matthew Courage
Sheryll Jane Crawford
Kathleen Ann Curtis
† Bruce Allan Cutway
Leonard John Daly
† Francis John Desmond
Carole Anne Downey
Carla Anne Dragoni
Steve Dale Dudgeon
† Margrit Nikolaja Durrer
Lisa Margaret Edwards
William Grancis Espinola, Jr.
David Alan Fithian
† Mona Lee Frederick
Robert Whitman Freeman
Walter Joseph Anthony Frontiera, Jr.
* Andrea Mary Frydrych
James Louis Galanis
Kevin John Garry
Tobie Charles Goff
Deborah A. Goot
Betsy (Kennedy) Gotses
Joan Elizabeth Greenhalgh
John Duddley Greenhalgh
Anne Frances Marie Hall
Melody Sue Anne Hammett
Cindy Lou Hanscom
Gordon Edward Hardy, Jr.
†*Bruce B. Harris
†*Rea Victoria Harris
* Virginia Ann Haserlat
Robert Harding Haskell, Jr.
Richard Julis Hazen
Carol Ann Heigh
† Barry William Hopping
Gail Horsman
* Marcia Jean Hovey
† Eve Hadassah Israelsohn
Beverly Christine Jackson
† Patricia Ann Jodoin
Linda Marie Jones
Joyce Ellen (Dort) Julian

Norman Fredrick Stone, Jr.
† Kathleen Marie Sullivan
Stanley Ignacy Surowiec
Elizabeth Ann Thibault
John Edward Thimmer
Donald Henry Thomas
* James Peter Thompson
† Lona Gay Thone
Bruce Hanford Thurber
† Stephen Michael Tobiasz
Roxanne Joy Trombley
† Mitchell John Tullercash
† Rebecca Noble Tuttle
Peter Ormond Van Buskirk
† Donna Olive Ventresca
Linda Joyce Vickery
† Christopher Mason Von Suck
Sarah Jane Wade
Lawrence Walter Walker
† Christine M. Walsh
Donna Marie Walsh
Carl Everett Waranowski
† Joyce Elizabeth Weagle
Ann Emily Weaver
* Wendy Ann Whiston
Thomas Francis Woodworth
Jean Marie Wright
† Nancy Jean Ziemiak

Anne Marie Poirier
Robert Bruce Porter
Judith Ann Potter
Marianne Helen Putur
John Francis Reagan, III
† Claudia Jane Recine
John Joseph Recine
† Patricia Eleanor Reilly
John Michael Reynolds
Thomas Dwight Reynolds
Sue Ann Rhoades
* Donna Marie Riddle
Roseanne Marie Robishaw
† Stephanie Anne Rogers
Diane Rouff
Stephen Fredrick Rousseau
David Allen Rumrill
Barbara Betty Rygielski
David Gerard St. Pierre
† Christina Sarantopoulos
* Ann Dillingham Savage
Robert Paul Scherer
† Jane Ann Sikora
Robert Grafton Sinclair, Jr.
† Deborah Jean Singer
* Danielle Marie Soroka
† Arthur Arnold Sotis
Howard Stanton, III

† honors — 80 or above average

* 85 or above and member of National Honor Society

+ in absentia

!!CONGRATULATIONS!!

The March of Triumph after clinching the Cape Ann League Championship following the victory over Hamilton-Wenham. The football team had a record of: Nine wins - No Losses - No ties.





Richard N. Conti

In the first year of the new decade of the seventies, it is quite clear that our Town is in an era of decision-making which will have tremendous long-range impacts. It will be necessary for the entire community to set into motion the mechanisms for determining where Ipswich is going in the next 5, 10 and 20 years. Within our democratic system, we have the advantage of individual participation by each citizen within the framework of the Town Meeting; thus, each and every citizen has the opportunity to be a party to our destiny.

It is known to all of us that the rising costs of local services fall greatly upon the individual homeowner taxpayer. This is especially true in Ipswich where 88% of the tax burden is borne by residential property owners. This gives us an indication of a possible course of action in the future development of the Town. I hope the community will set goals that will anticipate the rising cost of municipal service, the life style desired by the residents of the community, preservation of our very precious resources, and the cultural and educational advancement of our Ipswich society.

As your Town Manager, I have compiled a number of goals which I hope will be achieved in the following year.

A. People-oriented goals.

1. To continue to evaluate the administrative complexities in our community in order to achieve absolute availability of all town officials to all the people.
2. Continued concern for the community's youth through cooperation with the Town's Youth Commission.
3. Resolution of the Town's ambulance service to the residents of Ipswich on a no-cost basis.
4. Continued efforts to combat the economic problems by providing a job clearinghouse, job counselling and applying for all possible federal assistance in job opportunity programs.

B. Growth-oriented goals

1. Continued efforts to work under the Planned Community Development zoning to achieve an enhanced tax base acceptable to the entire community.
2. A movement to enhance our acceptability to "clean" industry which should greatly enhance our tax base.
3. Continued attention to liquid and solid waste disposal with special attention to the State mandated sewage treatment plant.
4. Increased and escalated research into the advantages and disadvantages of the Nuclear Power Plant with specific attention to the ecological question and the impact of the tax base.
5. Revolution of short and long range water needs of the Town.

C. Community-oriented goals.

Preservation of the preservable will be utmost in the community's mind in terms of:

1. Historic District Development.
2. Modern Progressive Clam Flat Development.
3. Efforts to publicize the summer and tourist attractiveness of our community.
4. Encouragement to the Chamber of Commerce to enhance the central business district and attract more service-oriented businesses.

D. Town operation — goals

1. Establish a central repair and service garage for all Town vehicles.
2. Reinforce the central purchasing procedures.
3. Value Analysis of Projects.
4. Enhancement of Public Safety — through police investigation and fire patrolling.

All of the above is only possible through the inter-action of community leaders, boards, commissions, Town administration and in the final analysis the will of the people at Town Meetings. We must assume in a democratic society that actions are predicted on a desire to make government serve the people. Community consensus is never homogeneous. The democratic process welcomes reasonable decent and logical "loyal" opposition.

The essential thing for all our citizens is to be well-informed and willing to listen to reason and make decisions predicated upon a desire to determine our destiny.

This year, for your convenience, the Financial Report is in a separate, distinctly colored section for ready reference.



Ipswich is an artists' paradise anytime during the year.



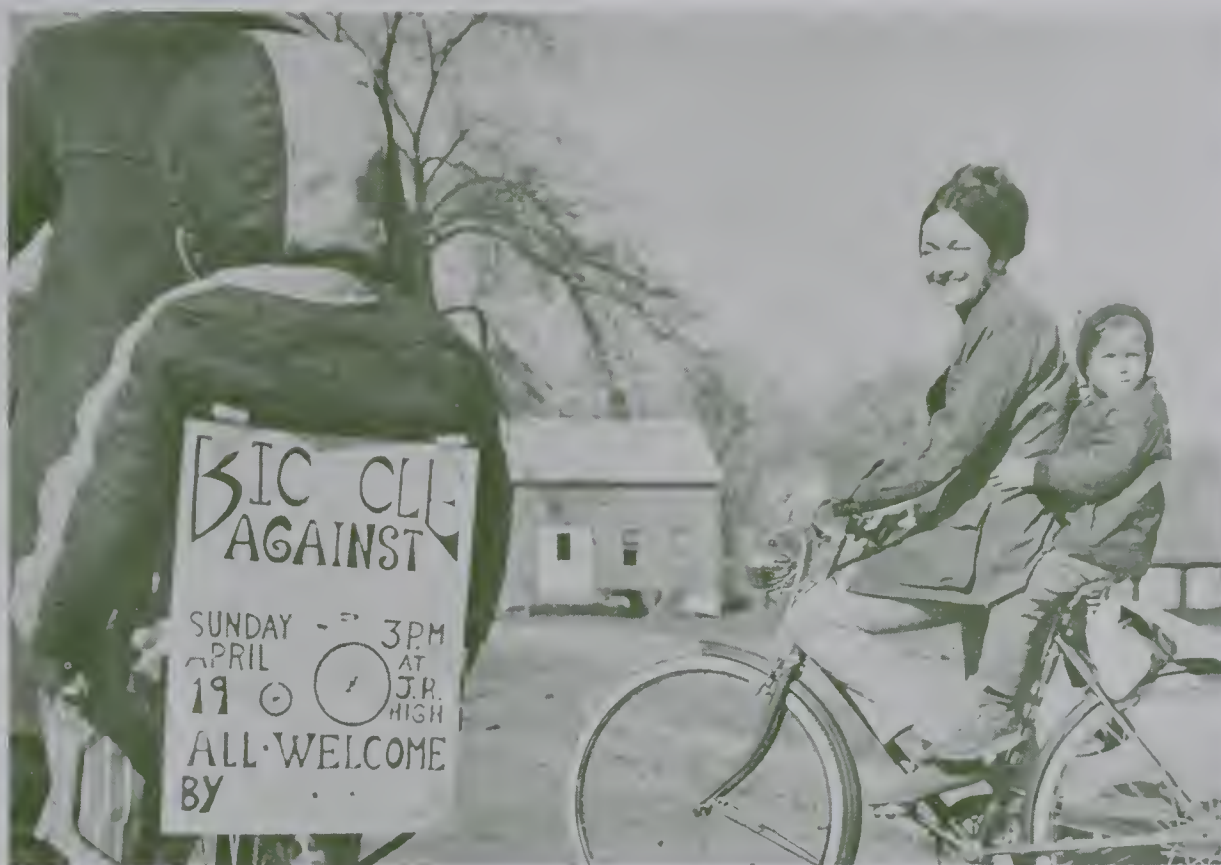
A hot blaze on a cold winter night.

The new teenage "drop-in center" provides a well balanced program for our youth.



A Summer Visitor from New York obtaining Ipswich Tourist Information.

The parade against pollution



The Veterans pay tribute to our fallen sons.

Officer Walter Klimaszewski taking a bead during target practice with the sub-machine gun. Take it to Maine next year Walter.



John Thatcher, Jr., Chairman
 George C. Karras
 Arthur Goodfellow
 Stanley Eustace
 Glenfred Wanzer
 Donald Hazen

The Ipswich Housing Authority, organized in 1947, supervises two housing developments in the Town of Ipswich — Veteran's Project 200-1 and Housing for the Elderly, Project 667-C, and manages the Rent Subsidy Program Chapter 707.

200-1 Veteran's Housing — This project is made up of seven buildings, comprising of twenty-four apartments, of two and three bedroom units. Each apartment has its own gas furnace, hot water heater and gas stove. The Authority pays for the water and the tenant pays all other utilities. The average shelter rent is \$76.07 per month, based on the number of dependents and gross income per family.

667-C Housing for the Elderly — The present housing consists of sixty-two apartments with an average monthly rent of \$48.08 per month, which includes

all utilities, except telephone. The rent is based on 25% of the total income of the tenant.

There are twenty units at Southern Manor, off County Road and forty-two units at Caroline Avenue, off Broadway Avenue. Each unit has a living room, kitchen, bedroom and bath, and is equipped with either an electric or gas stove, and an electric refrigerator.

In October the Ipswich Housing Authority was granted \$986,000 from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department of Community Affairs for the construction of fifty-eight additional elderly units, to be constructed on the Caroline Avenue site. These units will be identical to the existing units on Caroline Avenue. Contracts have been signed and occupancy is expected for mid-fall of 1971.

Chapter 707 — In the fall of 1969 the Authority voted the state-aided rental assistance program under Chapter 707 which provides rent subsidies for low-income families and extends also to elderly persons. It allows the Authority to rent or lease private units and to pay a rent supplement to make up the difference in the agreed total monthly rent for the apartment.

John P. Prosser, Chairman
 Jason A. Sokolov
 William H. Davis III
 William L. Thoen
 George A. Nikas

The Planning Board in 1970 held public meetings on the average of bi-weekly and concentrated its attention in three major areas: Zoning By-law, Master Plan, and Planned Community Development.

The Board, after long and careful study, recommended and received approval at Town Meeting of a comprehensive revision of the Zoning By-Law. This action was first recommended in the Master Plan in 1964. The revised By-Law consists primarily of a reorganization of the format and clarification of conflicting provisions in the previous By-Law, and does not make any major changes in the basic structure of permitted uses.

The Board deliberated at great length on the status of the Ipswich Comprehensive Plan (Master Plan), 1964, and various studies made by or for the Town since. It became evident that the Plan needs to be comprehensively reviewed and revised for it to be an effective tool in solving our increasing financial hardships. For this reason, the Board will seek the necessary funds at Town Meeting to implement the first of three stages of review and revision of the Plan.

The Board received and, after considerable study, rejected the preliminary subdivision plan of Country Club at Ipswich for the Planned Community Development District, primarily due to a non-compliance with the Subdivision Control

Regulations. Subsequently, the developer resubmitted revised plans, which were undergoing review by the Board and the Town's planning consultant, Metcalf & Eddy, Inc. at the close of the year. Meanwhile, several articles aimed at eliminating the PCD District and permitting cluster zoning anywhere in Town were opposed by the Board at a Special Town Meeting as having received insufficient study. None of the articles were approved by the Town Meeting.

In addition, the Board worked closely with and made recommendations to the Board of Selectmen, Finance Committee, Board of Appeals, Industrial Development Commission, Town Manager and other Town officials on planning, capital improvements and zoning and gratefully acknowledges their co-operation and assistance.

During 1970, the Board also closely supervised the continuing work at the Woodland, Meadowbrook, A.B. Clark and Scott's Hill Subdivisions. Although plans were discussed with several developers, the only new subdivision approved was that of Levere, consisting of two lots.

In November, Mr. Charles Lampson resigned and Mr. Jason A. Sokolov was appointed to complete his term. Mr. John P. Prosser and Mr. William H. Davis III were re-elected chairman and clerk, respectively. Mrs. Frances A. Moon served as our able and efficient secretary, and the Town was well-served by Mr. Donald Gagnon as inspector of subdivisions for the Board.

The Board solicits and encourages constructive suggestions and attendance at its meetings and earnestly desires the widest possible participation in planning for the future of Ipswich.

James Theodosopoulos, Chairman
 Julius J. Kaszuba
 Daniel B. Lunt, Jr.
 Thaddeus A. Maciejowski
 S. Harold Perley
 Clarence F. Richter
 Hollie A. Bucklin, Jr.

In 1970 the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Ipswich was extensively amended. One result of this amendment is that there will be more hearings and petitions before the Board of Appeals. For example, under the new by-law all apartment houses will require approval, as a special exception, from the Board of Appeals. Another example relates to keeping horses for personal use; approval by the Board of Appeals is needed in all such cases. The amended by-law also now has requirements relating to unregistered motor vehicles and to off-street parking, which were not present in the old by-law.

The Board has adopted a set of rules and prepared petition forms in order to aid applicants who file

petitions with the Board of Appeals. Copies of the rules and forms are available at the Town Hall.

In 1970 the Board held twenty duly advertised public hearings. Of the twenty petitions, four were withdrawn, ten were granted and six were denied.

The petitions that were granted involved the following: two requests to build an apartment house; three requests involving stables for horses; a request to build a church closer to lot lines than allowed by the by-law; a request to allow doctors' offices in an Historic Colonial district; a request to allow the use of a trailer as a residence for a period of four months; a request to transfer an empty lot having less than the required area; and a request to build a swimming pool closer to the lot line than allowed.

The petitions that were denied are as follows: A request to permit a commercial kennel in a residential district; three requests to build houses on lots having less than the required area; and two requests for constructing and operating commercial stables.



Harry Sagris

"Books are the masters who instruct us without rods and ferrules, without hard words and anger, without clothes or money. The library, therefore of wisdom is more precious than all riches, and nothing that can be wished for is worthy to be compared with it. Whosoever, therefore acknowledges himself to be a zealous follower of truth, of happiness, of wisdom, of science, or even of the faith must of necessity make himself a lover of books." The quotation is written by Richard DeBury a number of years ago but continues to be appropriate in our times.

The worth of a library traditionally has been measured by its completeness. This pattern was set by the most famous library of the ancient world, the Alexandrian, which was founded by Egyptian kings about 300 B.C. It contained the treasures of Greek civilization on half a million papyrus rolls (about 100,000 books as we know them). The Library of Congress, one of the most complete libraries of modern times, has 60 million items in its holdings. Scholars require the depth of great research collections, but most other people do not. What they do need in today's complex and fast changing world is current information on a staggering variety of subjects. How best to give it to them is a problem that has plagued librarians ever

since the publication explosion began in 1946. In the sixties there were more than 200,000 new books published. And increasingly more information appears on records, tapes, films, and microfilm. Most of the libraries lack the money and space, to deal adequately with this great mass of material.

The post war years have brought dramatic changes to all aspects of our society. Technology caused rural areas to become urban centers, great population changes took place, and most towns were ill equipped to handle this change as well. Libraries suddenly found themselves inadequate to meet the needs of the newly formed prosperous middle class. The population has exploded just as had publications and in thousands of communities there has been a new emphasis upon serving the needs of all of the people with new and imaginative programs. The library provides social service information: where to get better health care, job training, or scholarships for continuing education. A close observer of libraries has pointed out that the period of rapid and massive social change in which we live spotlights the seriousness of the demand of library service at all levels.

Ipswich is also faced with the same problems that the other thousands of communities find before them. It is my parting wish that we continue to support the library so that it may better serve the needs of our children as well as our own.

In 1970 our circulation figure reached 123,901 books, an increase of more than 1,000 volumes over last year. We instituted a new charge out system, making the borrowing of books much faster and more efficient. With this new system it is expected that reregistration will eventually be discontinued, enabling the borrower to hold his card indefinitely, and it is expected that some time in the future this card may be used in all libraries within the Commonwealth. The Children's Story Hour continues to be a popular program. Films have been shown to pre-schoolers as well as primary grades, with refreshments made available by our newly reorganized Friends group. During the

summer months a reading club was conducted and, once again, the children responded with enthusiasm.

Our art exhibits have continued during the year 1970, and, added, were exhibits of photographs by local photographers. These were a pleasant addition and it is expected that this will continue.

The special collections became larger and more extensive in response to increased local interest in nuclear power plants, water conservation, ecology, air pollution and the like.

Our businessmen's collection has now been placed in a more convenient location and has received great use.

Interlibrary loan service has more than doubled this year with greater emphasis on non book materials such as films, talking books, and more especially reference service. We cannot over-emphasize this service, and with more state funds being put into this area it is our desire that our patrons make greater use of it.

We have not made the physical facilities of the library available to the civic and social groups of our community during 1970 because space has become non-existent and it is therefore impossible to accommodate sizeable groups.

We have worked even more closely with the public school libraries this year and are presently conducting

library classes in the library during school hours for the children of the Shatswell and the Burley schools. These classes are being offered by library personnel who have organized and are implementing the program in its entirety. We continue to offer book materials to the schools and to supplement their collections.

It is our fervent wish that we bring to the community social, academic and cultural programs that are meaningful and rewarding for all ages. This is the function of the library in today's society.

As we look at 1970 in retrospect, we find that the lack of space has been the library's most urgent problem. It can only get worse. Therefore it is time to begin to take positive action. Without added space library service will be greatly impaired.

Lest we forget our motto is "Service" and we ask that we gain the opportunity to serve you.

Service Hours

Adults

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday — 10-5:30 and 6:30-8:30

Friday — 10-5:30

Saturday — 9-4

Children's

Monday thru Friday — 10-5:30

Saturday — 9-4

Charles K. Cobb, Jr., Chairman
William C. Hickling
Jacob M. Israelsohn
Dr. Harry Carpenter
Costos Tsoutsouras
Sarah L. Weatherall

During 1970 the Conservation Commission has been keeping in touch with the work of the Nuclear Advisory Committee and has consulted with Shellfish Commissioner Arthur Moon and with officials of the Department of Natural Resources regarding some of the probable effects of the nuclear plant proposed for Plum Island Sound. It also assisted the committee in arranging a meeting in April between the committee and biologists from the Department. The Commission also advised the Selectmen on two applications for dredging and filling of wetlands under the Jones Act (coastal) and one under the Hatch Act (inland).

In 1971 the Commission plans to continue its implementation of the 1968 Natural Resources Study which identified areas suitable for various types of recreation. In order to put the town in a position to obtain state aid in acquiring wetlands, watershed land, and other natural resource areas which, in the best

interests of all the citizens of the town, ought to be protected from uncontrolled development, the Commission is seeking to establish a policy of regular annual appropriations to the Conservation Fund. Only in this way can we assure that the money will be available when needed and that the town will be eligible to receive matching funds from the state. When a decision is made on the location of a new reservoir for the town, the Commission remains ready to assist in obtaining state funds for the purchase and development of the land needed for protection of the watershed. Finally, but not less important, the Commission is seeking to enlist the aid of private citizens who have special knowledge of plants, animals, birds, marine life, geology, and other sciences in putting together an inventory of ecological information about the town. This would not only help the Commission to identify areas which ought to be preserved in their natural state but would also give the public a clearer picture of the town's natural resources.

The Commission deeply regrets the resignation during the year of Marie B. Ladd, who had been a member for several years and was Chairman in 1969. Her knowledge of the wildlife of the town, based on a lifetime of personal observation, will be hard to replace.

John F. Conley, Chairman
Barbara C. Emberly
Louise B. Hodgkins
George R. Mathey
John G. Markos
Lovell Thompson
Alice Keenan

During the year 1970 the Ipswich Historical Commission continued work on the Ipswich Historical Preservation Demonstration Grant. The project, under the direction of Mr. John Cole, has progressed favorably.

Mr. Cole has inspected approximately 120 historic properties. These properties have been inventoried under an architectural evaluation form which has proved most effective. Several new and exciting historical and architectural facts and features have been discovered during the course of Mr. Cole's survey.

As in the past, we have continued to answer all inquiries directed to the town regarding matters of historical import.

The Commission placed several plaques on historical properties within the town and will continue this service during the coming year.

We have also finished compiling and indexing the ancient town records which will be moved to the Ipswich Public Library for safe-keeping. We are most grateful to the Town Clerk, Mr. Anthony Murawski, and the Board of Selectmen for their cooperation in this matter.

Once more, we wish to express our deep appreciation to our fellow townspeople and town officials for their continued interest in our work.

In view of the demand for historic properties we feel that Ipswich is increasingly recognized as containing a most valuable display of historic architecture and it is to this end the Commission will continue to endeavor to preserve and protect the historic assets of the town.

A picture from the past

School House Green...taken from a painting done about 1790. This is a view of County Road leading toward the South Congregational Church. Argilla Road is beyond the second house on the right. This location is presently known as South Village Green.





Town Clerk, Anthony Murawski, involved in the registration of 18, 19 and 20 year-old voters. . .New voter, Gordon Hardy, and Town Clerk Murawski chat about this new development in our democratic society.

Anthony A. Murawski, Town Clerk

Comparative vital statistics recorded for the past four years are as follows:

	1967	1968	1969	1970
Births	251	217	195	154
Deaths	122	123	129	109
Marriages	105	113	125	131

All the births recorded were to Ipswich residents. Of the total number of deaths recorded 70 were Ipswich residents. The age of the oldest Ipswich resident was 99 years, 22 days.

REVENUE:

Turned into the Town treasury:

	1969	1970
Dog Licenses	\$1,845.50	\$1,527.25
Marriage Licenses	228.00	266.00
Certified copies	150.50	112.00

George C. Mourikas, Collector-Treasurer

The following bills were sent out:

- Personal Property
- Real Estate
- Motor Vehicle Excise
- Farm Animal Excise
- Sewer Betterment

Bills committed for Collection during 1970 totaled \$5,321,557.21.

Bills Collected amounted to \$5,134,092.59.

The Treasurer's Receipts totaled \$11,104,336.18.

During the year \$2,187,992.00 was invested in Certificate of Deposit and U.S. Treasury Bills. This will earn \$25,000.00 if held until maturity.

Recordings	1,680.00	1,662.00
Gas renewals	5.50	83.00
Clam Permits	4,683.00	6,230.00
Miscellaneous	108.00	83.00
TOTAL	\$8,700.50	\$9,886.25

Turned into the Division of Fisheries and Game:	\$2,103.00	\$2,239.00
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LICENSES:

	1969	1970
Dog:		
Males	510	409
Females	63	67
Spayed Females	323	248
Kennels: \$10.00	4	1
\$25.00	2	2
TOTAL	902	727

CLAM PERMITS:

	1969	1970
Resident	697	679
Non-Resident: Daily	1,009	523
Yearly	228	215
TOTAL	1,934	1,417

FISH & GAME:

	1969	1970
Fishing, Regular	132	156
Fishing, Minor	23	31
Fishing, Female	15	15
Fishing, Non-resident	4	2
Hunting	150	184
Sporting, Regular	60	53
Sporting, Free	31	31
Trapping, Regular	5	5
Trapping, Minor	2	1
Archery Stamps	1	3
Duplicate Licenses	2	2
TOTAL	425	483

REGISTERED VOTERS:

Precinct: I	1,293
II	1,771
III	1,255
IV	1,434
TOTAL	5,753

The amount of \$501,000.00 was paid off on Maturity Debt.

A record of new Debt Bonded amounting to \$168,000.00 was set up.

Check Register Balances were reconciled with Bank Statements.

Federal and State Withholding Tax Statements were distributed.

A Record of Trust Fund transactions was maintained. A schedule of Receipts was rendered to the Town Accountant monthly.

Completed figures not available at time of report.



Robert H. Leet, Finance Director & Town Accountant

The Accounting Department performs many varied functions during the year. Their importance many times is underestimated, but nevertheless are very important and necessary in maintaining the Town's stability.

All the general financial records of the Town are maintained in this office. The employees of this department process all payrolls and bill vouchers of every department. These employees are dedicated and hard working, who perform their duties in a quiet and efficient manner.

The Billing Department, formally under the supervision of the Finance Director, was transferred in August, to the control of the Electric Light Department-Office Manager. This position was created to consolidate the billing, collecting, and bookkeeping operation under one head to provide better control; and also provide better service to customers.

The annual budget, both preliminary and final, was prepared and distributed.

Other reports were prepared for the following: Bureau of Accounts, State Tax Commission, Banks, various research bureaus, and other financial institutions, showing the complete financial transactions of the Town.

Detailed financial statements for the year 1970, are set forth in the colored pages of this report.

Varnum S. Pearick, Chief Assessor

Assessments: The total assessed value of real estate and personal property committed to the Town Collector for collection in 1970 was \$62,900,547. This has widened our tax base by nearly \$1,800,000 over the 1969 valuation.

The office committed 7,920 motor vehicle tax bills to the Collector for a total of \$328,499.68. This is an increase of approximately \$40,000 over 1969.



In addition to answering routine inquiries by various town departments and officials, the office has handled litigation with respect to town liability for personal injuries allegedly sustained as a result of a defect in a public way, with respect to a claim for land taking, to collection of a sewer assessment, to the propriety of a discharge of a member of the Board of Tax Assessors, and that of a police officer, to the disability retirement of another police officer, to the validity of action by the town at a special town meeting, to the validity of Planned Community Development zoning, and with respect to a suit by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to enforce an order by the Department of Natural Resources to compel the town to proceed with the design and construction of a secondary sewerage treatment plant.



Department of Public Works Director, Kevin McElhinney, out supervising many of the Public Works Projects in 1970. This project is the installation of water pipe on Argilla Road.

Kevin McElhinney, Director

During 1970, the Public Works Department accomplished numerous tasks throughout the Town. The various divisions — Forestry, Highway, Sewer, Water, Equipment Maintenance, and Building Maintenance — each performed their duties in an outstanding manner, and when required, assisted each other in their individual operations.

The year was disrupted by the retirement and/or resignation of four regular employees. During the month of April, Public Works Director John Spannbauer resigned to join a private firm in Elmira, New York. Mr. Spannbauer had proved himself an able and capable Director, and his services have been deeply missed by the Town. The Highway division lost the services of Richard Hodgkins with his retirement as Public Works Clerk in June. Mr. Hodgkins had been with the division since September 1952 and was an able, devoted employee who is missed by his co-workers.

In the Water division, the services of Raymond St. Pierre and John Comeau were lost when each decided to take up a new career. Mr. Comeau has entered school to qualify himself as an Immigration Inspector with the U.S. Department of Immigration, and Mr. St. Pierre has gone on to further his education with the intention of entering the teaching profession. To both, the Department wishes the best of luck.

The Town has tried to fill these vacancies with capable personnel. Kevin D. McElhinney was hired to assume the duties of Director of Public Works. Mr. McElhinney had previously served as Water-Sewer Superintendent for the Town. Norman Stone, Jr. was hired as Water division meter reader.

Below I will attempt to provide a brief summation of the various tasks performed by the individual divisions of the Department of Public Works.

BUILDING MAINTENANCE

Stanley Eustace - Town Hall
Herbert Babcock - Memorial Building

Beside the routine maintenance required, the Town Hall building has been improved by the addition of the following: new floor and paint in the old Civil Defense office and old Billing office; new roof; conversion of the oil-fired heating unit to a gas-fired one. The old Billing office has been converted into a Conference Room to be used by the various departments, committees, and boards as required.

Due to the usage of two rooms in the Memorial Building by the School Department, extra care has been required to keep the building in good repair. We have added with the cooperation of the School Department, the part-time services of a school custodian in the area used by the School. There were no major remodeling projects undertaken during the past year.

Capital improvements to the Library building included a new shed erected to house maintenance equipment, and the painting and redecorating of the Children's Room.

An electric door was installed at the Fire Station, and it is planned to install a second one during 1971.

All other Town buildings — Garage, Lighthouse, Cemetery and Sewage buildings — were kept in good repair and did not necessitate any capital improvement.

EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE

John McParland

This division of Public Works is charged with the responsibility of maintaining and repairing the Town's motor vehicle pool. There are at present some twenty-five separate pieces of motorized equipment in use by the Public Works Department alone.

Each piece of equipment must be kept in the best of condition so as to insure its availability during periods when needed. The Department is dependent upon the use of motorized equipment which has of late replaced other outdated means of performing its numerous tasks. This trend is exemplified by the Highway division which has less personnel employed today than it had a decade ago.

The Mechanic's services are also used by the other departments — Fire, Police, Parks, and Cemetery — when required. He is also used as a consultant on the preparation of mechanical specifications and as an inspector to see that said specifications are adhered to by bidders on Town equipment needs.

SEWER DIVISION

Chester Wile — Foreman-Sewer Treatment Plant Operator
Clark Thorpe — Assistant Sewer Treatment Plant Operator

Due to the rejection of the Town's application for proposed sewer extensions by the State Department of Public Health, it was not possible to make any major extensions to our sewage system. The rejection was caused by the failure of the Town to appropriate monies for the engineering services necessary for the design of a Secondary Sewage Treatment Plant.

During the 1970 Annual Town Meeting, funds were appropriated for the extension of sewage mains on the following streets: Poplar Street, Old England Road, Turkey Shore Road, and Labor-in-Vain Road. Because of the above-mentioned restriction, it was not possible to do this construction; therefore the monies appropriated have been invested and will draw interest until the restriction has been lifted and construction is possible.

There were eighty-six new connections made to the sewage system during 1970, bringing the total to 727 connections on December 31, 1970. There are also approximately 170 connections which are available but have not as yet been made use of by the abutters. These will be contacted shortly and advised as to Town ordinances which govern the authority of the Town relative to forcing tie-ins to existing sewers.

Chlorine in the amount of 9.675 tons was used to treat 156,956,000 gallons of sewage effluent in 1970. The average amount of sewage per day was 430,016 gallons.

The personnel of the division were responsible for the treatment of all sewage as well as the maintenance of the various appurtenances contingent with the operation of a sewage system. They also assisted the Planning Board in the inspection of sewage installations done under subdivision control. Three hours each day are spent in normal operation and maintenance of the facility, and the remaining time in specialized maintenance and other functions as required.

HIGHWAY DIVISION

Norman Stone — Foreman
Frank Blunda — Equipment Operator
Arthur Hulbert — Equipment Operator
Gardner Wile — Equipment Operator
Ernest McKay — Truck Driver-Laborer
Henry Waz — Truck Driver-Laborer
John Quigley — Truck Driver-Laborer
Craig Wile — Truck Driver-Laborer

The Highway division which is the largest in the Public Works Department, is charged with the maintenance and repair of the Town's streets and drainage systems. The winter schedule consists mainly of snow and ice control, and routine maintenance which does not require excavations. During the other three seasons, the men busy themselves with projects varying from road construction to street sweeping.

We have instituted a schedule for street sweeping whereby the center area is swept three times a week, and the outer section at least every six weeks, dependent upon need. Normal maintenance consists of patching streets, repairing drains, repairing sidewalks, assisting Water and Sewer divisions when required, clearing leaves, putting up street signs, etc.

During the year, the division accomplished the following:

Chapter 90 construction on Linebrook Road was continued; a finish grade and wearing surface were applied to the section of road between Mile Lane and Bull Brook. This construction was carried out by Town forces with assistance from the Drinkwater Construction Company.

The following streets were rebuilt: Wayne Avenue, Lafayette Road, Prescott Road, Putnam Road, Farragut Road.

Brownville Avenue from Topsfield Road to Broadway, and Mt. Pleasant Avenue had surface coats of asphalt paving applied over the base coats which were set in 1969.

Mill Road from the Hamilton line to Warner Road received a wearing asphalt surface in conjunction with our Chapter 90 Maintenance program.

Our ancient Choate Bridge, which dates back to 1764, was repaired after a car demolished the retaining wall. A large number of ancient retaining stones fell into the Ipswich River. Here, an Ipswich town employee helps to successfully recover and restore one of our historical landmarks.



Highway employees constructed an earthen dike around the Town Dump site, and installed 360 lineal feet of 30" drain from Appleton Park to Muddy Brook.

During the year, the Highway division acquired a new dump truck and combination backhoe-loader. The cost of these items after trade-ins was \$33,840.00.

FORESTRY DIVISION

Armand Michaud — Superintendent
Roland Chapman — Sprayer
Charles Foley — Tree Climber
Joseph Recine — Tree Climber

Combating the Dutch Elm disease was, once again, the major duty of the division. During 1970 ninety-two elms were removed, and trees were sprayed in an effort to combat this disease.

Other tree work included the removal of forty-one trees which were either dead or damaged, and the removal of sixty-two stumps. A crane was rented to assist the division in the removal of large trees and limbs.

The Forestry division continued its practice of line clearing where required by the Electric and Fire Departments, and also removed trees and cleared brush and lines for the Chapter 90 Construction work on Linebrook Road.

The division spent much time in spraying for the Oak Leaf Skeletonizer worm, which has become quite a problem in recent years, and also treated roadside areas with chemical sprays to retard weed growth and poison ivy.

A Little Leaf Linden tree was given to each first grader on Arbor Day. These saplings, about 18" tall, are given by the Forestry division with the hope that each child will plant and care for his tree until it becomes self-sufficient. The division also planted approximately one hundred shade trees throughout the Town.

Once again the division handled the responsibility for setting up seats and booths for Town Meetings and elections. The personnel and equipment are also used for snow and ice control.

WATER DIVISION

Henry Chouinard — Foreman
David Smith — Equipment Operator
Peter Comeau — Truck Driver-Laborer
Melvin Blaquiere — Truck Driver-Laborer
Norman Stone, Jr. — Meter Reader

Completion of a 10" water main installation in part or wholly on the following streets was done by C. Justino Construction Company, 1 Willow Avenue, Hyde Park: Mill Road, Highland Avenue (Hamilton), Waldingfield Road, County Road, Lakeman's Lane.

In addition, the Public Works Department furnished and installed approximately 3,600' of 10" water main

on Argilla Road, Old England Road, and Rocky Hill Road.

The division employees divided their time between water main extensions and normal maintenance duties. They also assisted other divisions in sewer installations and snow removal. Additional duties included inspection and mapping of new water installations, installations and reading of water meters, maintenance of pumps and pumping stations, new service installations, and chemical treatment of water supplies for purification, algae control, and iron control.

The Town's water supply was seriously low during the latter part of the summer, but due to residents voluntarily restricting its use, there was no need to proclaim a watering ban. At present, our supplies are replenishing themselves and we are in hopes that they will be at optimum levels prior to the high summer demand.

Division personnel performed the following during 1970:

92 new meters installed
89 meters replaced
23 new services
129 services repaired
172 services turned on
129 services turned off
2 services discontinued
6 hydrants removed
16 hydrants installed
7,516' new water mains installed

Water Usage (Gallons)

	1967	1968
Dow's Reservoir	207,761,000	202,326,000
Brown's Well	85,942,000	148,433,000
Mile Lane	17,954,000	275,000
Winthrop Wells	52,044,000	101,766,000
TOTALS	363,701,000	452,800,000
	1969	1970
Dow's Reservoir	94,490,000	138,683,000
Brown's Well	213,226,000	150,353,500
Mile Lane	3,274,000	18,782,300
Winthrop Wells	69,230,000	101,088,900
TOTALS	380,220,000	408,907,700

Snow Activity more than usual.





The Electric Department Continues to Grow
Addition to substation No. 4. 7500 KVA step-down transformer weighing 20 ton was installed at the power plant.

Alfred Tobiasz, Manager

Report for Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1970

During the year the actual function of billing, collection of accounts and bookkeeping was consolidated and transferred from the Town Hall to newly renovated quarters in the Electric Department Building.

A new construction truck, complete with posthole digger, aerial bucket and rotating derrick, was delivered on October 23, 1970 and is now in operation. Due to delays in delivery of material, the installation of an addition to the existing substation located near the power plant will be completed before March 1971.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETED IN 1970

1. A 13,800 volt spacer cable circuit was installed on Route 1 from Linebrook Road to the Ipswich-Rowley Town Line to supply part of the requirements to the Town of Rowley and also from Wilcomb's Corner East Street to Notre Dame entrance to supply additional power to the Great Neck area.
2. Underground wiring was extended 520 feet on Hodgkins Drive, 480 feet on Heard Drive, 1,425 feet on Burrage Lane and 600 feet on Mulholland Drive.
3. Thirty-four streetlighting fixtures, fifty overhead and thirty-one underground services, eight poles, 68,357

feet of overhead wire and 19,071 feet of underground cables and 814 KVA of transformer capacity were added to the system.

Maintenance

81 overhead and 11 underground services, 28 poles and 45 streetlighting fixtures were replaced with units of high lumen rating.

Statistics

Year	Average KWH used Residential Customers	KW Peak Demand	Meters in Service
1950	1426	2740	2790
1955	2097	3900	3285
1960	2638	5675	3632
1965	3272	7500	3963
1970	5100	11200	4328

Construction Proposed in 1971

1. Install 13,800 volt spacer cable circuit on Argilla Road from Heartbreak Road to Burrage Lane and on Heartbreak Road from Argilla Road to Essex Road.
2. Continue installation of underground wiring on Hodgkins Drive, Heard Drive, Mulholland Drive and Heartbreak Hill Development.
3. Install step-down transformer bank on Argilla Road and Heartbreak Road.
4. Install new streetlighting fixtures on various streets.
5. Install underground wiring to fifty-eight apartments on Caroline Avenue.

Generation

Maintenance was carried out by station personnel and all units at the end of the year were in good operating condition.

The annual peak demand was 11,200 KW on December 23, 1970 which represents an increase of 7.7% over last year.

Power Generated and Purchased

	1968	1969	1970
Generated	30,326,040	30,226,804	27,131,380
Purchased	11,858,338	16,080,673	22,967,877
Total KWH	42,184,378	46,307,477	50,099,257

Robert Mansfield, Inspector

1968	
Total Construction	\$1,233,330.00
New Homes	680,750.00
Alteration & Repairs	234,580.00
Commercial	299,800.00
Swimming Pools	
including (1) Bath house	18,200.00
Total Fees collected 1968	1,794.00

1969	
Total Construction	\$1,388,399.00
New Homes	873,300.00
Alterations & Repairs	240,148.00
Commercial	274,951.00
Total Fees collected 1969	2,052.00
1970	
Total Construction	\$2,667,708.00
New Homes	2,276,164.00
Alterations & Repairs	215,500.00
Commercial	153,789.00
Swimming Pools	19,580.00
Signs	2,675.00
Total Fees collected 1970	2,981.00



James H. Daly, Director

The past year of 1970 was one of progress and increased activity within both the Recreation and Park departments which now function as one unit. The Commission of chairman Warren E. Grant Sr., Eleanor Knowles, Frederick Jenkins, Charles Foley and Stanley Eustace convened once each month on the second Wednesday to review programs, evaluate suggested new programs and to establish new policies where needed in these rapidly changing times.

Daily attendance at eight staffed playgrounds averaged between 75 to 100 youngsters ranging from tots to 14 year olds. Not a single serious accident was recorded during the eight weeks program. Equally successful and accident free was the swimming instruction program that attracted 450 youngsters most of whom were beginners. Lessons were conducted at private, state controlled beach facilities at Hood's Pond. It is expected that the attendance at these classes will again increase in 1971 and bring about the necessity of double sessions, that is, both morning and afternoon classes.

The year 1970 saw the start of several new programs both amongst teenagers and adults. Among these was the start of several adult softball and tag football teams which are expected to increase in number in 1971. Street hockey played on any available stretch of hot top was popular with the youngsters.

A tennis tourney conducted by the Rec. Dept. attracted 23 players mostly in the teen age group. The tourney will be conducted again this year and the

turnout is expected to be much greater. For the most part the courts at the High School and Notre Dame were used extensively.

Of the summer feature events the Sand Sculpture contest held at Crane's Beach proved most popular. The V.F.W. Post 1093 sponsored the entire program as a Community Service project and at a cost of \$300 which included coloring materials, transportation and prizes. The winning project was fashioned by children from the Skeet Field playground for the third successive year.

Other playground features included a visit of the stagemobile out of Boston, an outing to a Red Sox ball game in Boston, an all day outing to Lincoln Park Amusement Center and many other intown and out of town specials.

During the fall and winter months weekly basketball and volleyball programs for all age groups from Pee Wee's to adults, men and women, are conducted under supervision in the school gyms and in Daniel Boone Hall. New programs of boxing, wrestling and tag football were started in 1970 and are all continuing. Special programs during school vacation periods remain popular and will continue.

Ice skating is available in season and when conditions permit at Linebrook playground, Baker's pond in Daniel Boone park and at a small pond in the outer Linebrook area. The perennial problems of separating the pleasure skaters and the hockey players remain with us. Thaws, snow and rain storms, parking and vandalism are a few of the problems associated with the ice skating season and natural rather than artificial ice. Ralph Recine continues as the skating program attendant and despite the many drawbacks does an excellent job in the interests and safety of all.

Again last year the annual Halloween Program involving parades, parties and dances for all age groups attracted 1900 youngsters. The cooperation of town departments, local organizations, individual volunteers and the High School band is gratefully acknowledged. The cooperation of all is a "must" for the success of a program of this magnitude.

Innovations are planned in several seasonal activities this year.

Improvements in the Park Division included the

The Annual Sand Castle Contest well under way with many observers and kibitzers.



First Place Winners in the Sand Castle Contest from the Skeet Field Playground.



installation of an outfield fence at the Little League field in Linebrook playground; grading and seeding of a new baseball field at the Great Neck playground; repairing, resurfacing and re-sealing of the tennis courts at Linebrook Field and the completion of several other smaller projects. Both the tennis courts at Linebrook and the new ball field at the Neck will be ready for use in 1971. The Tot area on the beach-front of the Neck causeway will continue to be utilized for at least another year and until such time as ground fill operations are completed adjacent to the new ball field.

The Park operations that had been emanating from three or more locations is currently operating efficiently from a rented space in the Davis garage on South Main street where a heated shop area is available for winter projects such as vehicular repairs, sign making and small construction such as picnic tables, scoreboards, beach boardwalks, bulletin boards etc. Bulky gear such as bleachers, barrels, beach boardwalks, floats etc. are stored in the Highway dept. yard where machinery assistance for loading and unloading is readily available when needed. Use of the old Payne School property and the makeshift "garage" at Linebrook playground have been abandoned for safety reasons among others.

The Golden Age club continues to be most active. Several day trips and special events held locally were enjoyed by all last year. Membership in this popular club continues to grow. The current President is Hazel Low. The club meets on the first and third Tuesday of each month (when not travelling) at 2 p.m. at the K of C hall on Topsfield Road. Membership is open to all over 60 years of age from Ipswich and Rowley.

The Recreation Commission and department has moved ahead steadily over the years to help meet the recreational needs of the community while at the same time giving due consideration towards constantly rising taxes and the priority of other projects. It is felt, however, that a start on a long range outdoor lighting program at this time would be most beneficial. The installation of lights at Linebrook playground would nearly double the use of facilities there and serve the interests of more people. Lights would also discourage vandalism and help to protect the heavy investment already existing there. Recommended as a start is core

facilities and street lighting to be followed by playing lights at the basketball and tennis courts.

The Rec. Dept. was instrumental in finding space for and helping to launch the Drop-In Center on South Main street for Teens. A total of \$3000 was appropriated for this purpose. At the same time a Youth Commission was authorized by the 1970 annual Town Meeting. The Commission applied for and was granted state matching funds in the amount of \$15,000. The Center continues to operate smoothly, is making progress and serving its intended need.

Two problems worthy of note have developed in recent years, namely arrival on the local scene of snowmobiles and horses. Snowmobiles continue to skyrocket in popularity and are nationally recognized as a recreational vehicle the same as mini-bikes, land and water vehicles, dune buggies and the like. They are obviously here to stay and can easily be controlled by reasonable rules and regulations.

Reasonable rules and regulations have also been adopted to control the influx of horses at Crane's beach. Both factions are cooperating by observing safety rules that allow the multiple use of all facilities where people, vehicles and animals congregate.

Part of the busy recreation summer activities is the 'Learn How To Swim Program' where approximately 450 youngsters participated.





Walter H. Hulbert, Jr.

The death rate in 1970 was low, resulting in 85 interments including four infants and four cremations, compared with 112 in 1969.

Eleven double graves, two four grave and one eight grave lots were sold with perpetual care. Converted from annual care to perpetual care were two, four grave lots and four, eight grave lots. Awarded by American Legion for Veterans and their families, were five, four grave lots and five double graves, with no revenue for care of these lots.

Twenty-four monument and thirty four marker foundations were dug and laid. Twenty-four government markers, were set for Veterans. Sixteen sets of granite bounds were set, for lots awarded and purchased. Forty one graves were raised and repaired. Fifty six monuments were repaired and re-set.

A new floor was laid in the Cemetery building, at Highland entrance. The Main avenue from Town Farm Road to the Cowles Memorial Entrance was Hot Topped. Three hundred seventy one tons of base and finish were used.

Thirteen trees were taken down by the Forestry Department, stumps to be removed in 1971. Replacement trees will be planted in 1971.

To continue our turf building program in 1971, 375,000 sq. foot of Turf builder and one ton of lime was purchased.

On our equipment replacement program, we purchased five new rotary mowers and a new hedge trimmer operated by small generator.

A new Lowering device was purchased to replace one that had gone beyond repair. This unit will last a good many years.

During the winter months the avenues were plowed with Cemetery four wheel drive, which is also used day and night during heavy snow storms, to assist the highway department in clearing roads and parking spaces.

In order to maintain the high standards set for this department, the following programs are in operation.

Equipment maintenance and replacement program	started in 1964
General grounds developing program	started in 1965
Avenue re-surfacing program	started in 1965
Tree replacement program	started in 1966
Graves raised and refinished (Older sections all cemeteries)	started in 1966
Turf building program	started in 1966
Monument restoration program	started in 1970

Following list of receipts for services rendered by the department in 1970.

Openings for interments	\$ 4,237.00
Sectional liners	780.00
Chapel tent rental	930.00
New graves & lots	1,075.00
Annual Care	836.50
Flower Fund Income	200.00
Perpetual Care Income	6,530.00
Foundations and bounds	1,154.00
Misc.	10.00
	\$15,752.50

New Perpetual Care Deposits \$ 2,925.00

Unexpended 1970 budget unconfirmed at time of report.

All above figures as of date of report.

Dated December 30, 1970.

Irving Small, Chairman
 Peter Zervas
 Jessie Girard
 Gordon Burlingham
 John Elby
 Maryruth Williamson
 Peter Johnson
 Douglas Holland
 David Kennedy

In the fall of 1969, the Town Manager, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, requested the committee to undertake a study of the need for revision and codification of the Town By-laws. The objective of the study was to achieve re-statement of the By-laws in a form more relevant to present-day

circumstances and needs, and then to arrange for publication of the revised By-laws so that hereafter they may be readily accessible both to Town officers and to interested members of the public at large.

At the end of 1969, we had commenced our initial section-by-section review of the By-law provisions. The process of review, involving discussion and consideration of the views of individual members, continued at our bi-weekly meetings during 1970. By the end of the year, on the basis of a series of draft reports submitted from time to time by the Chairman to the members, the committee had reached substantial agreement on recommendations to be made to the Board of Selectmen. Our final report to the Board is now in process of preparation.



Chief Russell L. Scahill

The following is a report of the activities of the Fire Department for the year 1970.

The department made a total of 372 runs for the year. Of these 295 were still alarms and 77 were bell alarms. This is somewhat lower than last year due to the fact that we did not have anywhere near as many woods fires or grass fires due to the new burning law that went into effect in July of 1970.

The vehicles covered approximately 14,000 miles for the year. A total of 6530 feet of 2½ inch hose was used, 3750 feet of 1½ inch hose was used and 15,600 feet of one and one eighth inch hose was used during the year. A total of 173,895 gallons of water from the booster tanks was used and a total of 189 feet of ladders were raised during the year.

A total of \$21,113.08 was paid out for fire losses on buildings valued at \$106,770.00 and on estimated losses of \$25,200.00. These figures are in comparison to \$74,905.00 paid out on buildings valued at \$1,006,020.00 and on estimated losses of \$95,340.00 in 1969.

The fire alarm was extended down Argilla Road as far as the new Heartbreak Hill development which is part of a program designed to take place each year with a different section of town to be done each year.

At this time I would also like to inform the townspeople that they should be seriously thinking about the purchase of a new ladder truck to replace the present one which is twenty two years old and is in need of many major repairs. It is very hard to get some replacement parts and when you do order them it takes anywhere from one to six months to receive them. Another item is the location of another station in outer Linebrook which I have asked for for the past four or five years. The present station is also in need of some major repairs as it is too small for the number of pieces of equipment that we have to house. The present alarm system is beginning to get too small to handle all the circuits that we now have and with the present growth of the town will soon have to be replaced with a more modern system that will handle the number of circuits that we may have to install.

The following is a report of some of the other duties of the Fire Department.

	1969	1970
Assist police on ambulance	8	4
Blasting permits	9	12
Oil burner inspections	110	45
Complaints investigated	200	150
Fire burning permits	715	284
Xmas trees sprayed	550	450

The Fire Department responds day or night and is constantly ready for fire control and rescue. Depicted above are our men in action during the Depot Spa fire.





Police Chief, Armand Brouillette, received police emergency equipment, pictured above, from interested Ipswich residents who were concerned with the Police Department in responding to emergency situations.

Chief Armand Brouillette

Citizens and voters of Ipswich, this is my first report to you as head of the Police Department. As you can see by the statistical data included, our town is faced with many problems of a criminal nature. The average increase in crime across the country is 15% according to the latest F.B.I. reports, whereas Ipswich is far greater.

Last year, 1969, we had a total of 561 arrests for varying offenses including motor vehicle violations, and in 1970 we have 725. Of these 725 arrests, fewer of them were for motor vehicle infractions and more on other crimes.

We have had a situation in the later part of the summer where your police officers were called on to perform their duty under fire and did so very commendably with the limited resources available to us. Since that action, really concerned citizens have made sizeable contributions to better equip your department so as to minimize the danger to members of the community as well as that of the department.

We have experienced crimes of violence in our town which were unheard of in past years, and crimes against property. Housebreaks have increased to an all time high, and again we find our efforts are somewhat hampered because of lack of personnel to follow up an investigation, resulting in excessive loss of personal property and money. I do not want to deceive anyone into thinking that more police officers will rid the community of all crime, but I think the citizens deserve to be afforded all the resources due them from a properly equipped and staffed department.

We are experiencing a severe lack of space in the physical plant. We have at present two rooms to conduct police business affording no privacy for persons who may want to discuss a personal problem, or no space to speak to persons suspected of crime without doing it at the desk in full earshot of press or public which assemble in the town hall for various reasons. We have a cell block which has been condemned by the State Board of Health as unfit for humans, no sanitary facilities or adequate ventilation, a veritable dungeon.

I think it is time we reassess our priorities and spend some monies not only on school construction, as we have done in the past ten years, but also on other municipal needs such as expanding our public safety facilities. We must remember that the police department is manned twenty four hours a day and in today's troubled times of riots, bombings and crimes of violence, we need the best equipped and trained men possible to meet any conceivable danger that this element can bring to our community.

With these thoughts in mind I will ask the Town Manager and Selectmen to approve an additional two men to the force and increase our patrol cars to three. I would also ask for a target date for an expanded facility for the physical plant, and to hire an architect to draw plans for this end.

At present our strength is sixteen members. Our two patrol cars are on the road all day and night when we are at full strength and log an average of 72,000 miles a year. These are one man patrol cars. With a population of close to 11,000 and the second largest area in the county to patrol, we are stretched to maximum.

Following is a list of permanent men staffing the police department:

Chief Armand R. Brouillette
Sergeant Boley Radzinski
Sergeant Frank W. Geist Jr.
Acting Sergeant Walter Klimaszewski
Patrolman Robert Comeau
Patrolman Edward Rauscher
Patrolman Arthur Solomonides
Patrolman Peter Foote
Patrolman Nicholas Fiory
Patrolman Richard Lombard
Patrolman Edward Walsh
Patrolman John Poirier
Patrolman Paul Griffin
Patrolman Joseph Carpenter
Patrolman George Stevenson

We are presently one man understaffed due to final appeals to District Court of the findings of the Appointing Authority and Civil Service of the discharge of a police officer.

Statistical data:	1969	1970
Court Cases	561	725
Motor Vehicle Accidents	498	495
Persons Injured	114	134
Fatalities		5
Complaints Answered	3601	5337



Patrolman Joseph Carpenter, left, and Patrolman Paul Griffin, right, acting to the facts and information relative to a purse snatching incident in Ipswich. The efforts of the Police Department resulted in charges being brought in the case.



Robert W. Mansfield, Director

Under the capable leadership of Captain John Harrigan, we now have an Auxiliary Police Force, second to none.

His training sessions proved that their efforts pay off. This was on a training tactic in search and rescue.

These men worked during the year with our regular Police Force, in the amount of 1730 hours. If they had been paid at the low rate of \$3.00 per hour it would amount to the sum of \$5,190.00, which means a great savings to the taxpayer.

Again, under capable leadership, our Auxiliary Fire Department has shown and proven their worth. They have spent 70 hours assisting the regular Department and over 40 hours of meeting and study time. Four members attended a three day seminar on Fire Training held at the State Civil Defense Academy in Topsfield. Fire Departments from all of Essex County send men to this school.

The four members are: Weymouth Atkinson Jr., Summer Street; Larry Walker, Manning Street; David

Bowen, Arrowhead Trail; Norman Stone, Jr., County Road.

Eight members have completed the standard Red Cross Course for First Aid. These courses are valuable and yet are of no cost to the Town.

Three members attended the "Shelter Managers Course", held in April at the Andover School in Andover, Mass. They are: Larry Walker, Manning Street; Bruce A. Klinger, Topsfield Road; Weymouth Atkinson, Jr., Summer Street.

These three are now trained in shelter management and will be assigned to a certain shelter shortly.

Also in April, I attended a Course in Civil Defense Management at the Training center in Topsfield. This course was in conjunction with the Civil Defense Agency of Massachusetts and the University of Massachusetts. More of the C.D. people should attend these seminars as they are really a great help in the field of proper procedure to carry out the duties of C.D. work.

Our Radio division, under Leon Dorr and James McCormack have been very active, both in communication with the CD Races program and in building crystal sets to work with in emergencies. These sets are now operating to great advantage for the Town and the cost to the Town was a mere \$13.00 for eight crystals. We can set up communication stations all over Town and also be in touch with the surrounding Towns.

I want to thank Mr. Elmer Cowperthwaite (who set up C.D. for the Town) for the valuable assistance he has given me and also for his taking over as the Assistant Director.

Purchased two portable pumps.



Norman L. Quint, Chairman
William C. Wigglesworth M.D.
Nancy P. Johnstone
Roland Foucher, Agent

Clinics held throughout the year:
Well Child Clinic:

This clinic held the first Monday of every month at the Winthrop School, between 3:00 and 4:00 P.M. The clinic is for pre-school children and there is no charge for immunization shots which include: Measles, D.P.T., Polio, Rubella, etc.

Rabies Clinic:

This clinic was held at the Town Garage June 7, 1970 and Dr. Cornelius Thibeault immunized 324 dogs. In 1971 it will be necessary to have a rabies tag before the dog can be licensed.

Health Agent, Roland Foucher, is constantly on the alert for pollutants and contagiums in the Ipswich River.



"Ouch!" It really doesn't hurt, but it makes a good picture. Ipswich Health Department provides for the Rubella inoculation of our school youngsters.

Rubella Clinic:

The school system has started a rubella vaccine clinic which will take in all children to age 12 who have a consent slip from their parents.

There were 10 pre-mature babies born to Ipswich residents in 1970.

There were 68 dog bites in Ipswich in 1970, all were investigated by the dog officer John Wegzyn, the owners were ordered to confine the dogs for 10 days.

Animal inspector John Wegzyn inspects all cattle arriving in Ipswich from out of state to see that they are properly ear tagged. He also makes an inventory of all meat cattle, hogs, ponies, horses etc. each year.

Dr. Frank L. Collins resigned from the Board of Health this year and temporary Town Manager Terrance Perkins appointed Mrs. Nancy P. Johnstone to the Board to fill his unexpired term.

89 burial permits and 6 removal permits were issued by the Board of Health.

Permits and licenses were issued for: milk, oleo, pasteurizing, ice cream manufacturing, collection of fat and bones in Ipswich, restaurant permits, motels, camps, individual sewerage systems, cleaning of sewerage systems, slaughtering, methyl alcohol etc.

At the May meeting of the Board of Health it was again voted unanimously to introduce fluoride into the Ipswich water supply.

There were 143 plumbing permits issued in 1970 and 96 gas permits. Rubbish will be picked up daily except for 6 holidays a year namely: New Years Day, Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas. It will be picked up the day following these days.



Robert W. Spencer, Superintendent

The Mosquito Control Project has now been serving the Town of Ipswich for five and one half years since its organization in July of 1965. During this period the Project has experienced a slow but steady growth. The number of towns and cities enrolled in the Project has risen from 19 to 23. The Project staff has increased from two persons to thirteen permanent full time employees and the equipment operated by them now includes ten trucks and three tractors. The annual Project budget for Fiscal 1970 was \$163,600.00 as compared to \$74,000.00 in 1966.

The slow but steady physical growth represents a proportionate increase in service to the residents of the district who according to the latest census now number approximately 400,000.

In Ipswich during the months of January, February and March twelve (12) acres of fresh water mosquito breeding sites were treated by the application of Methoxychlor in dust form to the surface of the ice. This work was accomplished in woodland areas where temporary land-locked pools were created by fall and winter rains and melting of snow cover. In April and May a total of thirty nine (39) acres of mosquito breeding plots were treated by the application of a mosquito larvicide known as Abate to water actually found to be breeding mosquitoes.

The summer spray or adulticiding program began in Ipswich on June 1st and continued through September 3rd. During this period a Project spray truck was at work in the town on the following twenty-six (26) days: June 1, 5, 8, 19, 22, 25; July 7, 9, 13, 21, 24, 27, 29, 30; August 3, 4, 5, 8, 10, 18, 21, 24, 31; September 1, 2, 3. The Project owns and operates six spraying and fogging machines and attempts to maintain a schedule of one day per week in all municipalities within the district. Because of the exceptionally heavy emergence of mosquitoes from the coastal salt marshes during July and August it was necessary to increase our spraying efforts in the coastal communities in order to bring about more immediate local relief and to prevent inland migration of the insect. Thus the twenty-six days of spraying during the thirteen week period.

The program to reclaim the salt marsh ditching was continued as two machines were employed to recut 28,000 feet of badly clogged ditches in the area off

Jeffrey's Neck Road between Island Park and Newmarch Street. Several major blockages were removed from the creek which carries the outfall from the sewage treatment plant to the mouth of the Ipswich River. More drainage work is planned for the area during 1971.

Under Chapter 112 of the Acts of 1931 the Town of Ipswich is assessed annually \$1,200.00 for maintenance of the salt marsh ditching installed in the 1930's through the federal emergency relief programs. It has become increasingly difficult over the years to procure responsible labor for this work and to provide proper supervision. To remedy this situation the 1970 salt marsh appropriations for Ipswich, Rowley, Gloucester, and Saugus were pooled. With an experienced foreman in charge, seven young men were employed on the marshes of these four communities from June 22nd through August 28th. During this period the Ipswich marshes were effectively covered twice with a total expenditure for labor of \$1,756.00 in return for an appropriation of \$1,200.00. Two of the seven men employed were Ipswich residents.

The Project realizes that the most effective method of mosquito control is the elimination of the breeding sources through water management and drainage. Therefore as more monies become available they will be spent to expand this phase of the year round program. The summer spray program will continue as an emergency stop-gap measure of mosquito abatement as it has been conducted during the past several years. Our long range objective is a reduction in the use of pesticides for the control of adult mosquitoes as the permanent measures coupled with the pre-hatch and larviciding activities reduce the need. The Project will expand its drainage program both on the salt marshes and in fresh water wetland areas during 1971 and for this purpose has requisitioned another specially designed crawler type tractor with backhoe.

The reluctance of fourteen Essex County communities to join the regional district continues as a matter of great concern. The sooner that all thirty-four towns and cities in the County co-operate to combat the mosquito nuisance, the sooner the fruition of our efforts to bring to the North Shore area of Massachusetts an effective program of mosquito control.

We of Essex County Mosquito Control Project wish to thank the residents of Ipswich for the cooperation and understanding they continue to display and without which we would be hard pressed to provide a sensible approach toward the realization of our objective, a permanent reduction of the mosquito population.





An Unusual Rescue
Harbor Master, Arthur Moon, rescued a downed single engine airplane last summer.

Arthur Moon, Harbor Master

Once again the rivers offered thousands of boaters many enjoyable hours of boating and fishing.

Channel markers were put in most of the river that needed them. The Ipswich River was almost impassable to go in and out of at low tide. The river is filling in with sand. Five (5) mile an hour signs were put in both ends of the Ipswich River for safety.

Floats were put in at the town wharf early in the spring. All water was patrolled day and night assisted by the police boat on Sundays and holidays. One plane was towed in. A number of warnings were issued for minor violations. The town boat was called out forty-one (41) times for people in trouble; mostly for over turned boats and people lost. Sixty-three (63) boats were reported lost. Sixty-one (61) were found; this is due to storms. Two outboards were reported stolen. One drowning occurred at Hood's pond. One boating accident.

Arthur Moon, Constable

The records for 1970 show a fairly large amount of clams were taken by commercial and noncommercial diggers. There was a large amount of schoolboys who started digging this year.

Through the Shellfish Advisory Board we worked out programs on shellfish. We had two (2) schoolboys working all summer on a shellfish survey; they took the count and size of the clams in all clam beds and the amount of acres per flat. We also had a dredge made up to remove mussels from clam beds. The dredge was very effective; we removed and disposed of about twenty-four thousand (24,000) bushels from three (3) large areas. Three (3) clam flats were closed for winter digging. Clam permit prices were raised so we could put on these programs.

There were about twelve (12) bushels of confiscated clams transplanted in barren areas. These were mostly small clams dug by schoolboys learning to dig.

Permits issued were:

121 Commercial	\$20.00 per year
673 Resident Noncommercial	2.50 per year

215 Nonresident Yearly
523 Nonresident Daily

15.00 per year
2.50 per year

The Shellfish Advisory Board has donated many hours working out programs on shellfish.

Shellfish Constable, Arthur Moon, dredges to remove mussels. This is a new program established for predator control.



Edward Nagus , Chairman
 Andrew Gianakakis
 Joseph Lauderowicz
 Charles R. Terrell
 Peter H. Cooke
 Joseph Kmiec
 Arthur Moon (ex-officio member)

After our first full year of activity, the board's work could be characterized by organization and relevance. Continued work was accomplished on our resource study, with two high school students working the better part of the summer gathering necessary data. Appointment of three Shellfish Deputy Constables assisted our Harbor Master in summer patrolling duties. A mechanical drag, mounted on a boat, was developed and used in a very successful mussel removal program. With the increasing menace of

algae growth on many of our productive flats, we have been attempting to obtain possible Federal and State funds which would share some of the town's burden in dealing with this coastal problem.

With a very compatible and hard working board, we have organized these programs to relate to some of our long range goals: better shellfish management, higher productivity, reclaiming and seeding previously barren but promising areas (for both soft-shelled and sea clams), cleaning up our mussel beds, and control of natural predators.

In the coming year we hope to see some fruits of our labor come to bear. Continued application of these programs, along with a well informed public, will insure that needed measures are being taken to conserve and propagate our shellfish resources.

Frank Story, District Director

This office has concluded another year of rendering service and assistance to veterans and their dependents in the community. Since the origin of our country's involvement in war or conflict, only the finest of our young men and women are acceptable for military service. They must meet the high standards of both the mental and physical requirements. Many have returned to civilian life deprived of one or both of those standards with which they entered service. The effect on many will not appear until later in life. To assist those who responded to military duty the Federal Government and the Commonwealth have instituted major programs. The services rendered to eligible veterans and their dependents are herein described.

Massachusetts Veterans' Benefits

The number of veterans and their dependents receiving assistance under Chapter 115 of the General Laws of Mass. in the Town of Ipswich is being reported as the number of cases processed monthly: January - 70, February - 66, March - 65, April - 56, May - 57, June - 58, July - 71, August - 63, September - 58, October - 64, November - 69, December - 69. A total of 824 cases were processed in 1970 under this program as opposed to 703 cases in 1969. One half of the expenditure under this program is listed in the financial statement of this Town Report. A breakdown of the present case load under this program is as follows: 50 cases are recipients 65 years of age or older, 9 cases are totally and permanently disabled as evaluated by the VA and Social Security rating boards, 10 cases are prolonged illness or injury.

Veterans' Services

Of the two major programs through which this office assists veterans and their dependents the Federal Veterans' Services Program is the larger. There is no cost to the Town of Ipswich for financial assistance granted eligible veterans and their dependents under the Federal Program. Services rendered by this office under this program are as follows: 70 Power of Attorney forms, 29 Applications for Education, 26

Applications for Pensions and Compensations, 30 Statements in Support of Claim, 13 Statements of Income & Net Worth, 52 Applications for Mass. Vietnam Bonus, 19 Applications for Replacement of Separation Documents, 16 Applications for Outpatient Treatment, 10 Applications for Hospital Treatment, 55 Annual Questionnaire cards, 14 Certificates of Eligibility, 29 Change of Address forms, 3 Consent to Release Information forms, 1 Burial Allowance, 5 Applications for Approval for School Attendance, 5 Change of School or Program forms, 7 Requests for Real Estate Abatements, 1 Application for Survivors' Benefits, 2 Applications for Review of Discharge or Separation from Armed Services, 5 Headstone Applications, 3 Treasury Checks returned, 2 Applications for Commissary cards, 2 Requests Pertaining to Military Records, 1 Retirement or Disability Insurance Benefits Questionnaire, 1 Social Security form for Lump Sum Death Payment, 3 Declarations of Marital Status, 1 Application for Examination for Housebound Status.

In the Town of Ipswich a total of 2,920 statistical papers were filed for both services.

Compensation and pension awards amounted to \$159,720.00 for the year. \$48,270.00 was expended for hospitalization in Veterans Administration facilities. A total of \$58,380.00 was allocated for educational benefits to the returning veteran. The total yearly expenditure was \$381,170.00 apportioned as follows: Federal share \$266,370.00, State share \$53,000.00, Town share \$61,800.00. The Town's share, including administrative office expenses, was 16.5% of the total money received by veterans and their dependents in the Town of Ipswich.



HAPPENINGS



Dune restoration program began in the late summer. One of the numerous projects in Ipswich which is helping to preserve and beautify our community.



*Seal of Ipswich England Presented
David Welsh, after visiting Ipswich England with a group of High School students, presents the seal of Ipswich England to the Board of Selectmen Chairman, John Bialek.*

New Director of Public Works, Kevin McElhinney, assumed his duties in August



One of the Town's most concerned, devoted and helpful Committeemen resigned his position in November. The Town appreciates the time and work given to the Finance Committee as Chairman, and to other Town Affairs by "Mr. Ipswich"...Daniel B. Lunt.



Former Town Manager, John O. Stinson, was bid farewell in May. Seated are: Stinson, Mrs. Joseph Navarro and Selectman Navarro.



Fin Com Chairman, Daniel B. Lunt, and the Town's First Woman Selectmen, Mrs. Elizabeth Cole, attended the Farewell Dinner for Town Manager Stinson.

One of those quick strategy sessions at a Town Meeting include Mr. Klos, Mr. Damon, Atty. Vincent and Atty. Perkins.



Jurors List Prepared by Board of Selectmen Eligible to be Drawn in 1971

Phillip Abell
Abell Avenue
Joseph Arcisz
18 Liberty Street
George James Bouzianis
13 Congress Street
Vincent H. Boylan
27 Mineral Street
Joseph Vincent Burns
3 Wayne Avenue
Walter L. Campbell
Labor-in-Vain Road
Arthur L. Cole
Chaplin's Terrace
Charles D. Coulouras
10 Fourth Street
James E. Cunningham, Jr.
47 Skytop Road
James E. Cunningham, Sr.
3 Goldfinch Way
Edwin H. Damon
Eagle Hill
Clifton Duff
Pine Street

Stanley Eustace
High Street
Andrew Gianakakis
High Street
Frederick Gresch
10 Maple Avenue
Douglas Holland
North Ridge Road
David G. Kennedy
102 High Street
Ignatius Krol
7 Congress Street
Walter S. Kuconis
168 Linebrook Road
Gregory Logan
7 Riverside Drive
Kenneth McMullen
64B Argilla Road
Peter J. Markos
Pine Swamp Road
Eugene Matheson
21 North Main Street
Harry Mayo
13 South Main Street

Chief Scahill supervised school fire drills during Fire Prevention Week.



Homer L. Mohr
 25 Edge Street
 Joseph W. Morin
 16 Lafayette Road
 Edward Oxner
 Howe Street
 Charles Pelletier
 85 Topsfield Road
 Alex Poirier
 5 Oakhurst Avenue
 Charles A. Richard
 84 Linebrook Road
 Charles L. Rose
 37 Jeffreys Neck Road
 Donald R. Skeffington
 Newmarch Street
 Chester L. Stone
 47 County Street
 William E. Sturgis
 County Road
 John G. Thatcher, Jr.
 43 Upper River Road
 Wilbert L. Tozier
 Colby Road
 Brainard C. Wallace
 56 North Main Street
 Clifton Wentworth
 9 Pleasant Street
 Cora B. Baker
 113 County Road
 Helen E. Carter
 20 Masconomet Road

Gladys Woodman
 Kimball Avenue

Carol Chambers
 4 Linden Street
 Louise Ciolek
 19 Warner Road
 Mildred T. Clogston
 5 Ward Street
 Elsie F. Eustace
 83 Essex Road
 Hazel L. Grant
 7 Argilla Road
 C. Doris Kirkland
 18 Newmarch Street
 Diana F. Lloyd
 143 Argilla Road
 Hazel I. Low
 6 Lafayette Road
 Marguerite S. McDade
 33 Jeffreys Neck Road
 Janice L. Marcorelle
 21 Estes Street
 Mary T. Morency
 19 Upper River Road
 Josephine M. Orsini
 2A Summer Street
 Marian Reedy
 25 Kimball Avenue
 Gilda O. Ryan
 9 Fairview Avenue
 Barbara L. Skeffington
 39 Newmarch Street
 Harriette F. White
 52 High Street

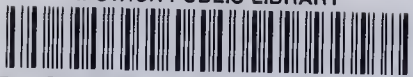
Drawn for Jury Duty - 1970

J. Warren McDade
 33 Jeffreys Neck Road
 Albert R. Hammersley
 56 High Street
 Richard Arthur Berry
 1 Howe Street
 Joseph J. Arcisz
 18 Liberty Street
 Donald R. Skeffington
 43 Newmarch Street
 Wayne E. Eustace
 83 Essex Road
 Adam W. Bobola
 14 Second Street
 John Wegzyn
 63 Linebrook Road
 Gardner L. Stone
 19 East Street
 Joseph Vincent Burns
 3 Wayne Avenue
 David G. Kennedy
 103 High Street
 Edwin H. Damon
 15 Eagle Hill Road

Alice K. Trocki
 13 Peatfield Street

Charles L. Rose
 Jeffreys Neck Road
 Leo Naguszewski
 11 Peatfield Street
 Clifford H. Appleton
 5 Newmarch Street
 Florence G. Anzuoni
 Masconomet Road
 Cora Belle Baker
 113 County Road
 Dorothy G. Beyer
 143 High Street
 Madeline Frances Carey
 15 Lafayette Road
 Jessie C. Girard
 50 Jeffreys Neck Road
 M. Louise Hull
 Eagle Hill Road
 Patricia A. Moseley
 22 Spring Street
 Joan E. Oxner
 18 Howe Street
 Louise W. Sweetser
 25 Argilla Road

JURY DUTY - 1970



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Ipswich smelt are always running and always delicious.



FIRST BASEMAN Ted Flaherty talks it up during game against Hamilton-Wenham Little League all stars.

Hockey as usual during the ice season.



PARTING SHOTS



Another two points for Ipswich during the State Tourney

POLICE EMERGENCY 356-4343
 FIRE EMERGENCY 356-4321

Be sure to give your name and address as well as the nature of your emergency clearly. Do not hang up until you are sure that your message has been understood.

FOR ANSWERS ON:

Assessments
 Payment of Taxes
 Payment of Water and Light Bills
 Billing, Water and Light
 Birth, Death, Marriage Cert.
 Building & Civil Defense
 Cemeteries
 Dog, Hunting, Fishing Licenses
 Education Information
 Elections, Voting, Registration
 Electric
 Engineering
 Fire, Routine
 Health, Sanitation, Rubbish
 Highway and Streets
 Library
 Licensing Authority
 Oil Burner Permits
 Permits for Burning
 Permits for Large Quantity Dumping
 Recreation
 Schools

Sewer
 Veteran's Services
 Water Problems
 Welfare (Comm. of Mass.)
 Youth

CALL THE

Office of the Assessor 356-4010
 Treasurer and Collector 356-3100
 Electric Light Dept. 356-4331
 Billing Office 356-4830
 Town Clerk's Office 356-4161
 Building Inspector 356-5333
 Cemetery Superintendent 356-3933
 Town Clerk's Office 356-4161
 School Superintendent 356-2935
 Town Clerk's Office 356-4161
 Electric Light Dept. 356-4331
 Public Works Dept. 356-5591
 Fire Department 356-4322
 Board of Health 356-4900
 Public Works Dept. 356-5591
 Librarian 356-4646
 Board of Selectmen 356-2262
 Fire Chief 356-4322
 Fire Department 356-4322
 Town Manager's Office 356-4848
 Recreation and Parks 356-3767
 Burley School 356-2666
 High School 356-3137
 Junior High School 356-3535
 Doyon School 356-5506
 Shatswell School 356-2312
 Winthrop School 356-2976
 Nurse 356-5507
 356-3535
 Public Works Dept. 356-5591
 Veteran's Agent 356-3915
 Public Works Dept. 356-5591
 Welfare Office 356-5751
 Recreation Dept. 356-0312

TELEPHONE

MEETINGS

Annual Town Meeting
 Annual Town Election
 Conservation Commission
 Finance Committee
 Board of Health
 Industrial Development Comm.
 Library Trustees
 Planning Board
 Recreation & Parks Comm.
 School Committee
 Selectmen
 Historical Commission
 Cemetery Commission
 Housing Authority

DAY & TIME

1st Mon. in March
 2nd Mon. in March
 1st Thurs. of ea. mo.
 Last Thurs. of ea. mo.
 Last Wed. of ea. mo.
 2nd & 4th Tues. of ea. mo.
 3rd Mon. of ea. mo.
 Every other Tues.
 2nd Wed. of ea. mo.
 1st & 3rd Wed. of ea. mo.
 Every Monday
 2nd & 4th Wed. of ea. mo.
 2nd Mon. of ea. mo.
 2nd Mon. of ea. mo.

PLACE

High School
 Precinct Polling Place
 Court Room
 Court Room
 Health Office
 Court Room
 Library
 Court Room
 Memorial Bldg.
 Supt. Office
 Court Room
 Court Room
 Cemetery Office
 Community Bldg.
 Caroline Ave.

In Memoriam



RODNEY WOOD
SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
March 21, 1970



JOSEPH CAREY
ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT
October 13, 1970



CHESTER J. PATCH
FIRE DEPARTMENT
December 22, 1970



RAYMOND HORSMAN
FIRE DEPARTMENT
September 14, 1970



D. FRANCIS RYAN
FIRE DEPARTMENT
August 25, 1970



STANLEY J. SURPITSKI
POLICE DEPARTMENT
January 29, 1970



FRED J. OSTREGA
POLICE DEPARTMENT
February 27, 1970



FRANK THOMAS
POLICE DEPARTMENT
December 19, 1970

